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OUTLINES.

John H. Winder, a North Carolinian, has resigned the presidency of the Sunday Creek Coal Co., at Columbus, O., and will take an executive position with Thos. F. Ryan's syndicate which is spending millions in building the South & Western Railroad to develop coal mines.—The Japanese jackies made a poor showing yesterday in the international boat races at the Jamestown Exposition, the Italians having won three races and the Americans one.—At Alta Pass, N. C., Saturday, nine men were killed and four injured by the premature explosion of a blast on the grading of the Norfolk & Western Railroad.—Near Alta Pass, N. C., on Sunday afternoon, on the construction work of the South & Western Railroad, Felix J. Kidd was shot and killed by William Anderson, who was in turn killed by Charles Hays, a friend of Kidd; in the same vicinity Deputy Sheriff Buchanan was killed by a man named Paul who was also killed by another deputy.—There was a runaway wheat market in Chicago yesterday, the price crossing the dollar mark; the price jumped 4 cents a bushel during the day, which means an increase of nearly 14 cents a bushel during the past week; cold weather and damage by insects caused the sensational advance.—The sharp advance in wheat at Chicago caused a momentary setback in the New York market yesterday.—The feature of the Jamestown Exposition yesterday was a magnificent celebration of the 300th anniversary of the first permanent settlement of English people at Jamestown, May 13, 1607; a great spectacle was a military and naval parade of American and foreign forces, several thousand in all, reviewed by Gen. Kuroki and Duke de Abruzzi and other distinguished foreigners; the speaker of the day was the Hon. James Bryce, British Ambassador.—New York markets: Money on call, steady, 2 to 2 3/4 per cent, ruling rate, 2 3/4, closing bid, 2, offered at 2 1/2; spot cotton, 5 points higher, closing steady at 11.95; flour, strong and higher; wheat strong, No. 2 red, 99 3/4 elevator; corn, firm, No. 2, 62 elevator; oats, firm, mixed, 45 to 47; turpentine, steady; rosin, firm.

Don't be an "undesirable citizen" any more than you would want to mess around as a mollycoddle.

Now for a park. However, keep it dark that a city of Wilmington's size has gotten along till now without a park.

At Johannesburg, Transvaal, yesterday, an explosion occurred at the Modderfontein gold mine. Three whites and 15 natives were killed.

Secretary Taft began his career as a newspaper reporter. Newspaper people, therefore, will manifest no surprise to see Taft "scoop" Foraker in Ohio.

Says the Washington Herald: "Former Senator Marion Butler has also seen a 'conspiracy,' though why a 'conspiracy' should be caught loafing around in his vicinity is hard to understand." Fact is, he can make things come his way when he wants to make Butler capital.

A man in Montana refuses to work, and has been sitting around wasting his time because he believes the world is coming to an end May 13th. He will think 13 is unlucky when he goes back to work and finds out that the grass continued to grow while he was idle.

Miss Susie Winburn, of Savannah, a daughter of Vice-President Winburn, of the Central of Georgia Railway, has accepted the invitation to christen the City of Savannah, the new steamship being built for the Ocean Steamship Company, at Chester, Pa., on June 11th.

Says the Commoner: "Some men would rather remain wrong than to acknowledge it." Pretty much all men would rather die than "give in." Even some lawyers who lose out in the Supreme Court, have their regrets that the court doesn't know any better than to disagree with their version of law.

Young men who get turned down by the girl they are stuck on shouldn't "throw themselves away." Think of it! Four girls jilted George Washington, but he turned around and married the belle of Virginia and became President of the greatest country on earth. Don't be less of a mollycoddle than the Father of His Country.

Speaking of the lamentations of Ambassador Bryce that America is producing no poets, the Norfolk Landmark hastens to observe: "The trouble is that the literary baronet does not see The Charlotte Observer and The Richmond Times-Dispatch, and so is not acquainted with the mighty effusions of the Tar Heel and Virginia bards." The Landmark ran a frightfully narrow chance of having the linotype set up "birds" for bards.

THE CROP IS SHORT

Thus Far Less Than
rator Cars Have Gone Forward From Belt.

NORMAL CROP ABOUT 1,800

Second Yield is Expected to Develop
Better Things—Prices Remain
Good and Season Will Be
Somewhat Extended.

Reports from the strawberry belt are to the effect that the crop is yielding very short, but that the indications are for a much longer shipping season than usual. Thus far, the shipments by refrigerator car, according to the official reports from the junction office at South Rocky Mount, by Business Agent H. T. Bauman, have been less than 250 car-loads, whereas at this time last season more than a thousand cars had gone forward of a normal yield of about 1,800 cars, as a total crop. The movement has only one day, May 17th, reached the volume of 25 cars, whereas last year at this time the daily report from Rocky Mount indicated from 75 to 100 cars daily.

There is encouragement, however, in the report from the berry territory that the season this year will consist of practically two crops, one made before the late freeze in April, and the other fruit made after the freeze, the latter being of the much better quality, and therefore, commanding a higher price. It is stated that the shipping season this year will extend over a period of from six to eight weeks, whereas in 1906 it was profitable to ship for only about four or five weeks.

The prices, as a general rule, have held up very well, indeed, and the shippers generally seem to have no kicks on that score. On Saturday New York reported sales at from 18 to 25 cents per quart; Philadelphia, 20 to 40; Boston, 15 to 27; Pittsburgh, 12 to 20; and Syracuse, 16 to 18 cents per quart. These prices are generally regarded as remunerative. Owing to the fact that the crop is very short in localities the shipments are not sufficient for refrigerator car bulk, and many more berries are being shipped by express than formerly. With a few exceptions the berries that have reached the local market have been of inferior quality, but the fruit made and matured since the unseasonable cold is said to be very fine, and of excellent flavor. The height of the shipping season is expected to be reached this week when this second crop begins to go forward.

THE ALDERMAN TONIGHT.

Special Meeting to Consider Petition of Tidewater Power Co.

Mayor Springer yesterday afternoon issued a written call for a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen to be held tonight at 8 o'clock. The call sets forth the purpose of the meeting as being "To consider petition of the Tidewater Power Company and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Board." The petition of the Tidewater Power Company, recently organized by Mr. Hugh MacRae and associates, is for permission to bring its electric wires into Wilmington over which it is proposed to transmit current from the big Blewett Falls plant near Rockingham, N. C., as has been previously outlined. Over these wires will be brought in enough current to meet the demands of the entire city for lighting and power, the present power plant of the Consolidated Company being devoted to furnishing current for the traction lines of the same interest in and out of the city.

Another matter that will come before the Board is the petition of those interested in the establishment of a public park or playgrounds for children, extended reference to which is made elsewhere in today's paper. It will be the first regularly organized meeting of the new Board and the alignments will be watched with interest.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Three Drunks and One for Disorderly Conduct Pay Fines.

Six unimportant cases engaged the attention of Mayor Springer at noon yesterday. Joe McNeill, Jno. Simmons, and Henry Reynolds, colored, were each fined \$5 for being drunk, and Ed. Herring, white, another drunk, was let off with costs. John Mitchell, colored, was charged with disorderly conduct at Front and Market streets, but failed to answer and his bond was forfeited. James Patrick, colored, charged with disorderly conduct at Eighth and Castle streets, was fined \$5.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Clyde Steamship Co.—Schedule.
A. N. DuBois—Analytical Chemist
Consolidated Co.—Beach Schedule.
St. John's Lodge, Masons—Communication.

Business Locals.
High School Alumni—Meeting.
C. P. B. Mahler—House for Sale.
J. G. Wright & Son—Lot for Sale.
Mrs. A. M. Gilbert—Special Rates for Board.

Read The Star Business Locals.

PEACE FLAG PRESENTED

Pleasing Affair in Raleigh Yesterday
—"A Russell Brain-
" Says Judge Purnell.
"are Scotch Immigrants.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Raleigh, N. C., May 13.—In the Senate Chamber this afternoon, a peace flag was presented to and accepted by Governor Glenn on behalf of the State by E. Hayne Davis, of New York, secretary of the National Peace Association. A Peace Society for Raleigh was then organized with Governor Glenn as president.

Four young Scotch lads arrived this morning from Scotland as immigrants under the auspices of the State Department of Agriculture to be assigned to prominent farmers for agricultural pursuits. M. E. McKay goes to Willard, Pender county; A. G. Gibson, R. A. Young and Peter Henry to Newbern to locate.

The Atlantic Wagon and Vehicle Co., of Rose Hill, Duplin county, is chartered with \$100,000 capital, authorized, and \$20,000 subscribed, by W. L. Byrd and others.

Assistant Commissioner of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman has gone to Elizabeth City to represent the Hendersonville lodge of Odd Fellows at the Grand Lodge there this week. He stopped by the Jamestown Exposition for the great illumination last night.

Governor Glenn issues commissions to J. M. Whitaker as game warden for Orange county and to J. F. Pleasants as warden for Durham county.

Judge Purnell, on his return from Wilmington today was asked if he had any reply to Ex-Governor Russell's attack on him widely published yesterday. His only comment was: "It is just one of Russell's brainstorms." Other than this, Judge Purnell would make no statement. He left this evening for Richmond, where Mrs. Purnell is in a hospital.

MRS. E. R. DAGGETT DEAD.

Former Wilmington Lady Died at
Home of Her Daughter.

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Daggett, relict of the late William T. Daggett, of Wilmington, and a lady held in the highest esteem by many friends in this city where the family resided for so many years, passed away Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph E. Norwood, in Newberry, S. C. Mrs. Daggett had been in poor health for some time and while her death was not unexpected, it came as a sad blow to many friends here and elsewhere. Her husband, the late William T. Daggett, was formerly a member of the firm of Hancock & Daggett, in business on Market street, and he preceded his wife to the grave in 1893. Mrs. Daggett is survived by two sons and two daughters, Mr. Walter H. Daggett, of Pulaski, Va.; Mr. W. W. Daggett, of New York; Mrs. Norwood, of Newberry, and Miss Beth Daggett, of Newberry.

The remains of the late Mrs. Daggett reached Wilmington on the late train from the South last night and the funeral will be conducted at 6:30 o'clock this evening from the lodge in Oakdale cemetery. The services will be by Rev. Richard W. Hogue, rector of St. James' parish, of which the deceased was a devoted member while the family resided here.

MRS. S. E. TOON DEAD.

Passed Away at Home of Her Son in
This City Yesterday.

Friends in Wilmington and elsewhere will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Sarah E. Toon, relict of the late Col. W. H. Toon, which occurred yesterday shortly after noon at the residence of her son, Mr. W. P. Toon, No. 516 Princess street, aged 70 years and four months. Mrs. Toon was held in the highest esteem by all in the circle of her acquaintance and her kindly presence in the community will be missed. She is survived by two sons, Messrs. J. Luther Toon and Mr. William Pinckney Toon, both of this city. They have the sympathy of a great many friends in their bereavement.

The funeral will be conducted this afternoon from the residence of Mr. W. P. Toon and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

Complaints of Nuisance.

John Anders, a Greek who conducts a restaurant for colored people in a small brick structure next to Plummer's confectionery store, was haled to the court of Justice Bornemann yesterday on complaint of Mr. D. Russell Foster, the real estate agent who has an office in close proximity, Mr. Foster alleging that by allowing crowds of negroes to congregate in and around the restaurant the proprietor is maintaining a nuisance. Anders and Mr. Foster met at the office of Justice Bornemann and after a conference the Greek agreed to move. In view of this promise Justice Bornemann continued the case against him until next Monday. Anders said he thought he could find another place by the last of the week.

Carolina Heights the Name.
"Carolina Heights," it is understood, will most probably be the name of the new suburb which will be developed for Miss Mary Bridges, the purchaser, on the property recently purchased by her on the north side of Market street, extending from Seventeenth. In addition to the Moore property, Miss Bridges has also purchased nine and a half acres from the Catholic Church for \$11,000. The deal was consummated through Mr. T. W. Wood.

ANDREW SMITH DEAD

Well Known Wilmington Citizen
Passed Away Sunday Just
After Midnight.

STROKE OF APOPLEXY

Funeral From Late Residence Yesterday
Afternoon With Interment in
Oakdale Cemetery—Long and
Successful Business.

The community was shocked and saddened yesterday morning to learn of the unexpected death of Mr. Andrew Smith, one of Wilmington's most prominent and influential citizens. Mr. Smith passed away shortly after midnight Sunday at his home in this city, No. 218 South Third street, his death having been rather sudden. Some time ago Mr. Smith suffered a stroke of paralysis or apoplexy but he had almost completely recovered from this apparently and many of his friends were encouraged to look for his complete restoration to health. Saturday he was down town as usual and about his affairs. Sunday evening he went to his church and returned home about 10 o'clock. Shortly after retiring it was seen that he was very ill and although all possible was done for him, he gradually sank until the end came a little after midnight.

The death of Mr. Smith removes from the city one of its most highly esteemed men. He was a native of Brantwick, Sweden, and was born July 16th, 1849, being therefore, in the 58th year of his age. Early in life he came to this country and was first engaged in business in New York with Mr. L. Hanson, now also of Wilmington. They continued in business in New York until 1877 when they removed to this city and continued their co-partnership. Later Mr. Smith engaged in the real estate business here and invested quite largely in property, the splendid Smith building on Princess street, recently sold to other parties, being one of the pioneer office structures in the city. Mr. Smith gave up his real estate business in 1900 and went abroad to study brick-making according to the Huennekes system to which his attention had been attracted through consular reports of the United States. Returning to Wilmington Mr. Smith organized the Hydraulic White Brick Company and was for several years president of that corporation, later acquiring the same in his own name and operating it for some time until recently sold to Mr. F. H. Smith and associates. Mr. Smith was singularly successful in business, was genial and affable in his relations with men and made a host of friends. He had a high sense of honor and his integrity was unquestioned. Until later years he was prominent in the business life of the community and his memory will always be honored by those with whom he came in contact.

Mr. Smith was married about 20 years ago and is survived only by his wife, a most estimable woman, who has the heartfelt sympathy of all in the sorrow that is hers. The funeral of Mr. Smith was conducted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the late residence of the deceased, Rev. W. A. Snyder, of the Lutheran Church, officiating, and the remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery. The pallbearers were: Honorary, Messrs. L. Hanson and B. H. J. Ahrens; active, Messrs. William Runge, H. Kuhl, Otto Bank, A. D. Wessel, H. L. Vollers and M. G. Tlencken.

SPRING UNIFORMS FOR POLICE.

Contract Awarded Yesterday Afternoon by Committee of Board.

The Police Committee of the newly elected Board of Aldermen, composed of Mayor Springer, chairman, and Messrs. French and Jewell, met yesterday afternoon at the City Hall and opened bids for furnishing the 41 policemen and janitors of the city with Spring and Summer uniforms. Bids were submitted by the A. David Company, the J. W. Fleet Company and W. J. Penny & Co., each firm accompanying the bid with samples of material and in one instance with a coat made up.

The committee first decided on first quality of goods and only the best of the fabrics submitted were considered. The uniforms have to be worn continuously for six months in the year and past experience demonstrated that only the best goods were desirable for looks and wear. The committee at length decided on a very handsome beaver broadcloth at \$20.50 for coat and pants as submitted by the A. David Co., for the M. C. Lilley Company, the celebrated outfitters and uniform makers of Columbus, Ohio. This award was with the understanding that the M. C. Lilley Company send a representative to Wilmington to measure the officers for the uniform out of coats and trousers, which is totally different from measurements for dress wear. The matter of grey helmets as the Spring and Summer headgear for the men was postponed, a sample of the kind wanted being submitted for \$2.75. The men of the force will be measured for the uniforms as soon as possible and the order will be filled as soon after that time as possible.

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CHARGE IS MANSLAUGHTER FOR A PUBLIC PARK

Herbert Moyes, Colored, Held Without Bail, Charged With Inflicting
Mortal Wounds on Blacksmith
Nine Weeks Ago.

Preston Pemberton, colored, 52 years of age, a blacksmith employed at the Almont fertilizer factory, up the Northeast river, died yesterday morning in the hospital as the result of a wound received in the leg nine weeks ago at the hands of Herbert Moyes, also colored, who is in jail without bond pending a verdict by a coroner's jury, which was empaneled yesterday by Dr. C. D. Bell and called to assemble at 10 o'clock this morning at the office of Justice John J. Furlong, on Princess street. The verdict of the coroner's jury will doubtless add a fourth to the list of murder cases for trial at the July term of the Superior Court in New Hanover.

Pemberton and Moyes, both employees of the Almont factory, had an altercation about a woman at the plant of the company up the river a little over two months ago and Pemberton was shot in the leg by Moyes who made his escape for the time being. About a week ago the condition of Pemberton at the hospital, his leg having been amputated, made Moyes' arrest very desirable and one night Constable Savage and Deputy Sheriff Cox went over to the factory and effected his arrest on a warrant charging him with an assault with a deadly weapon. Moyes was lodged in jail and in the meantime gangrene set in the wound of Pemberton and he died yesterday morning. Dr. Bell, the coroner, was notified and he deemed an inquest necessary, accordingly summoning as a jury to investigate the shooting composed of Justice Furlong, Constable W. B. Savage, Messrs. H. O. Wallace, J. D. Mote, J. O. Brock and W. L. Burkheimer. The remains of Pemberton were yesterday afternoon brought to the undertaker's shop of Jno. H. Shaw, on Second street, and were viewed by the jury in order that the body might be shipped on the early train today to the negro's former home at Laurinburg, N. C. The jury as stated will meet this morning and hear the testimony of a number of witnesses to the shooting and will then render its verdict. In the meantime Moyes is held in jail without privilege of bail.

REV. MR. STOUGH'S WORK.

Great Mass Meeting in Academy—The
Services Yesterday.

Rev. Henry W. Stough, the great Chicago evangelist who is conducting a series of meetings at the First Presbyterian Church, addressed a large meeting of men Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Academy of Music. His subject was "Winds and Whirlwinds," and his discourse was a powerful one, making a great impression upon the large audience which heard him. Mr. Henry Reynolds, the talented young Welsh-American baritone who accompanied Mr. Stough, directed the singing, which was inspiring.

It will be a pleasure to many who heard Rev. Mr. Stough Sunday afternoon to know that he will remain at the First Church all the week in the series of meetings. The meetings are attracting wide attention in the city, and a vast amount of good is being done. Last night the subject of his discourse was "Recognition in Heaven," and this was treated most interestingly, and with great earnestness. His congregation was visibly affected and showed its interest in the responses after the sermon. The meetings continue daily at 4 P. M. and 7:45 P. M., with an early morning prayer service at 8:20 A. M. and a meeting for men at the Y. M. C. A. at 1 P. M. daily. The public is most cordially invited to any and all of the services.

SUSTAIN THEIR PASTOR.

Congregation of First Baptist Church
Endorses His Position.

At the regular annual business meeting of the First Baptist Church held last night, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Whereas, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor of this church, at a recent meeting of the "Pastors' Association" of this city, offered resolutions of high import, being an advanced position in the moral and religious standing of our community, viz: Organized effort against the saloon evil, and Whereas, The said "Pastors' Association" failed to come up to the high position recommended in the resolutions offered by Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., therefore,

Resolved, That this, the First Baptist Church, of Wilmington, N. C., heartily commend the course pursued by our pastor, the Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., and approve and endorse the resolutions offered by him, at the meeting of the "Pastors' Association" above referred to; and may his efforts in this, and all other efforts in moral and religious reform meet with abundant success.

Observed Jamestown Day.

The children of the public schools in Wilmington yesterday most fittingly observed Jamestown Day according to the elaborate programme promulgated in the State by the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames of America, through its president, Mrs. James Sprunt. The exercises proved to be most entertaining, and instructive, and there can be no doubt of the value of the work of the Colonial Dames in this respect.

Enthusiastic Meeting of Persons
Interested in A Most Popular
Movement.

A COMMITTEE IS NAMED

Will Memorialize Municipal Authorities
to Provide Means of Recreation
for City's Youth—Board
of Aldermen Meet Tonight.

Not a large but a very representative meeting of Wilmington people, both ladies and gentlemen, was held last night in the Court House in furtherance of the movement inaugurated some time ago to provide a public park or playground for the youth of the city. Mr. J. A. Taylor presided at the meeting, and after a discussion of ways and means for something over an hour, it was decided to appoint a committee to appear before the Board of Aldermen and before the Board of Audit and Finance to urge the maintenance of a public park or playgrounds for children, provided the site for the same is donated and the boards hold that they have not the power under the charter to provide funds for the purchase of sites.

It was nearly 9 o'clock when the meeting was called to order by Mr. Taylor, who asked the Rev. R. W. Hogue to explain the object of the gathering. Mr. Hogue explained the interest that had been manifested by the people in general and the business men of the city in particular. For an hour that afternoon cards had been sent around to the business people asking for a signed expression of their interest and endorsement of the movement. In the brief space of time, 74 signatures had been received and he said that more of the people would have been present at the meeting, but for the number of counter-attractions, and the fact that the call was comparatively short. He pointedly set forth the need of a playground for the youth of the city, and said that the movement was a popular one, not alone from sentiment, but from necessity. He stated that the movers in the enterprise had an option on 13 3/4 acres of the Hilton tract for \$6,500 and that the water front part of the tract, he thought, could be used in connection therewith by consent of the owners who are being corresponded with by the agent in charge. A lot was available at or near Carolina Place and he asked Alderman R. H. Northrop to set out a very generous offer from Mr. Godfrey Hart, the tanneryman. Mr. Northrop said that Mr. Hart owned 58 acres of a beautiful natural site on Greenfield mill pond, and had offered to donate a part of it or to sell the whole at a nominal figure for park purposes. He explained the topography of the place and said that it was about three-quarters of a mile beyond the Willard Bag Factory, to which point the street car line is now being extended.

Mayor Wm. E. Springer was called on and said he was in thorough sympathy with the movement, and would be pleased to do all he could, both personally and in an official way. Alderman W. H. Yopp questioned if the city had a right to expend the public fund for park purposes without legislative enactment or without carrying out the provisions of a special act passed two years ago requiring a vote on the question. He was, however, in thorough sympathy with the movement, and would be glad to further it in any way that he could. Mr. Taylor asked if, while the city could not spend money for the purchase of a park site, it could not improve and maintain the same with legislative enactment, that is, where a site is donated. Mr. Yopp did not undertake to say, but went on to suggest that the Macomber property was on the market and might be purchased.

Former State Senator B. G. Emple who secured the passage of the park bill two years ago, explained the same as still being in force, and also went into the legal phase of an appropriation by the city for park purposes, expressing the opinion that in the absence of any provision in the charter, there would have to proceed under the special act in question.

Mr. Henderson Cole, to get the matter in shape, moved the appointment of a committee to have the matter in charge and to appear before the Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance to see what assistance could be secured from municipal sources.

Mr. Taylor discussed the legal phases of the question, the necessities of a park and spoke in favor of the site offered by Mr. Hart. Hilton, he regarded, as unapproachable on account of the unsafe condition of the Carolina Central bridge. The Macomber property was out of the question because of the price—\$30,000. The street car people would certainly extend their line to Greenfield if the park were established there.

Mr. George N. Harris seconded the motion of Mr. Cole and there was still further discussion of the powers that should be delegated to this committee. The opinion prevailed that action should be taken at once, as the city's new fiscal year begins shortly and in view of the proposed bond issue for streets, it was suggested that a part of this might be indirectly diverted for park purposes and still come within the scope of the law, or that a part of the usual yearly appropriation for streets might be secured

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ROOSEVELT ON RAILROADS.

President Roosevelt will deliver a speech at Indianapolis May 30th, and what he is to say is being anticipated with unusual interest. The special interest attaches to what the President will say about his position on the railroad problem, as he announced some days ago that he would define the attitude of his administration on some phases of railroad regulation by the Federal government. The Washington Post in an editorial says of the President's prospective speech:

"The President has been talking to his party friends and advisers about the speech he is to deliver at Indianapolis on May 30th. It seems that the speech is finished and has been read to some of them, particularly those parts which deal with the railroads. From all accounts the President is confident that what he says on that occasion will be entirely satisfactory to the railroads. From his point of view he doesn't take anything back that he has said. He simply contends that he has been misunderstood. There have been malicious persons, he thinks, who have made it their business to give such interpretations to his utterances as to mislead the people as to his attitude towards the railroads.

"There are several things which he proposes to make clear, one of them being that Mr. Bryan's proposition to have the trunk lines owned by the Federal government and the branch lines by the States in which they are situated is absolutely contrary to the constitution and altogether impractical—something, in fact, which no conservative constructive statesman could for a moment regard with favor.

"It appears that he will recommend to Congress the need of valuing the properties of the railroads. The point on which he will rely to win the good will of the railroads is that the roads should be operated under a Federal franchise. The valuations will be for the purpose of finding out what their capitalization should be under such franchise.

"It is probable that the railroads will not offer serious objection to the Federal franchise part of the President's speech. It may offer them an opportunity to get from under the control of State Legislatures, which just now are threatening them with some pretty drastic legislation. The States, however, may object to the Federal franchise proposition. If they do, it will not receive favorable consideration from Congress, because Senators and Representatives will follow the wishes of their respective States. Still, that is a matter that cannot be intelligently discussed at present—not until it is known exactly what the proposition is.

"At first thought it might seem that the President has two purposes in view, namely, to pacify the railroads and to show that Mr. Bryan isn't a safe statesman to follow. Of course Mr. Bryan will have something to say in defense of his government ownership scheme, if the President attacks it, because, though he doesn't propose to urge it unless government control proves to be a failure, there is no question that he is prepared to defend it now or at any other time.

"The President seems to be letting only just enough of his Indianapolis speech leak out to whet the public appetite. That is will be looked for with a great deal of interest there isn't a doubt. Railroad securities are dragging on the market and there is hope that the President will say something that will restore confidence in such securities and make a better market for them."

We do not exactly understand how the President can contend that "he has been misunderstood." He has declared in black and white in his messages and speeches what his attitude has been and is to the railroads, and the railroad people as well as the public have judged from what he has said and done about the problem. If he has not made himself clear it looks like his own fault, and in view of his frequent declarations and his record on the question, we can't very well see how "malicious persons" could falsely interpret, warp and twist his utterances. The fact is, we do not see how the President can make himself any plainer, but we do recognize the fact that he can take advantage of his Indianapolis speech to tack a little on the question in order to counteract the consequences to railroad securities.

However "malicious persons" have no business going around trying to put two constructions on the plain words of a President.

DR. BATTLE TO WRITE HISTORY.

There is deep regret, yet the State of North Carolina may be the gainer, that Dr. Kemp Plummer Battle will resign his position in the faculty of the North Carolina University at Chapel Hill. Dr. Battle himself made the authoritative statement to that effect to his classes on Saturday. That

his resignation created surprise and genuine regret, it is not necessary to say, and that it will be shared by the alumni and friends of the University throughout the State is equally certain.

Dr. Battle is alumni Professor of History at the University, and to his classes he made the announcement that he had been granted an annuity of \$1,600 from the Carnegie fund, and that he intended to retire after this year from the active duties of a teacher, not to a life of idleness, but in order that he may complete his history of the University, on which he is now engaged, and write the history of North Carolina which he has had in mind for some time.

Dr. Battle has for many years been connected with the University work, and has done much to place it in the high rank which it occupies among the South's educational institutions. He is an instructor of eminent ability and has been a loyal friend to the State University. While the severance of his relations with the institution is a great loss, there is some compensation that one of his capability and ample equipment is to write State history. We hope he will live many years to complete such a history as is worthy of the great State of North Carolina.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The Vermont Democrats have an advantage. When Mr. Bryan goes among them they can all hear him under one roof.—Boston Transcript.

—"You and I are practical men"—please subscribe.—You are an undesirable citizen.—the subscription duly to hand and spent.—The Commoner.

—Mrs. Troiel, a foreign missionary, was robbed by her two-day husband, who fled. An argument for home missions, if one is needed!—Buffalo News.

—The Navy Department clerk who achieved the distinction of being bitten by the President's dog bounded into fame by a decidedly original route.—Washington Post.

—Moyer denies that he spent a term in Joliet penitentiary, but before the trial is over we expect to hear that he is the man who so brutally assaulted one Billy Patterson.—Washington Post.

—Mr. Debs, who was never charged with violating a statute law is being an undesirable citizen, while Mr. Paul, lied by President Roosevelt to be Morton, who brazenly admitted that he violated the law, is given a fine recommendation by the same President.—The Commoner.

—We feel sorry for the valued Industrial News. It cannot take sides. Mr. Marion Butler and Mr. Spencer B. Adams are both stockholders and Mr. Spencer B. Adams is vice-president. There is nothing for the Industrial to do except to sit up and keep silent and look dough-faced.—Charlotte Observer.

—President Gannon brings good news when he assures us that passenger trains will be in operation over the Norfolk & Southern from Raleigh to Norfolk by October and from Raleigh to Wilson by the first of August. That system is doing great things for the development of Eastern North Carolina, putting the capital of the State for the first time in direct touch with the northeastern section of the State.—Raleigh News and Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—"That young lawyer friend of yours." "Well?" "Has he popped the question?" "Only hypothetically."—Washington Herald.

—"The Relationship—"Aren't you related to Mrs. Wabash?" "Yes—in a way. My third wife married her fourth husband."—Cleveland Leader.

—"Generations of Elbows"—Stella—"Don't they put on style?" Bella—"Yes; it is only a generation from the elbow grease to elbow sleeves."—New York Sun.

—"That politician declared he never said anything he was sorry for." "Yes, but that doesn't mean he never said anything he ought to be sorry for."—Washington Star.

—"Mrs. Writup—"Why did you discharge that nurse girl?" Mrs. De Swell—"She kicked poor little Fido just for biting the baby."—Utica Observer.

—"How is it that Smith seems to be able to do anything and go anywhere he wants without home interference?" "Don't you know his wife is tongue-tied?" "Ah, that is why he is foot loose."—Baltimore American.

—"The Party Line.—Hubby—"Why didn't you come to the door and let me in?" Wife—"I couldn't, George. Our neighbor was talking to somebody and I was at the 'phone."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—"Valid Plea.—Judge—Prisoner, have you anything to say to the court before sentence is pronounced? Prisoner—I beg the court to consider the youth of my attorney.—Translated from Transatlantic Tales from Blanco y Negro.

—"Not Romantic.—"And you refused Dr. Slasher? Such a future." "I know it, but always thinking of nothing but business. Why, while he was holding my hand, after he had proposed, he drew out his watch and began to count my pulse."—Chicago Journal.

—"The Scotch." said Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, "are certainly a witty people. Now, there was a visitor in the little town of Bowdoin who, on looking about, saw no children, but only grown men and women. He wondered at this, and finally meeting a weakened old man on the street, inquired: 'How often are children born in this town?' 'Only once,' the man replied, as he proceeded on his way."—Saturday Evening Post.

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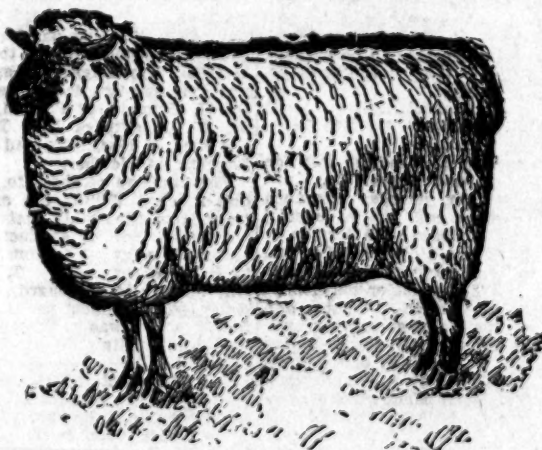
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MARRION BUTLER SCORES ADAMS

Calls Republican State Chairman a Hypocrite and Says He is Unfit for Chairman—Adams Hoodwinking Roosevelt.

(Thos. J. Pence in Raleigh News and Observer.)

Washington, May 11.—Marion Butler gave out an interview today in reply to State Chairman Adams' observation concerning him, and among other things he declares that the leader of the party in the State is not for Taft or Roosevelt, and that he is playing a hypocritical game.

He says: "Two months ago I tried to get the State chairman to come out in a statement declaring that a second nomination should be tendered President Roosevelt at the next national convention, and that if he declined then the Republicans of North Carolina were unqualifiedly in favor of endorsing his administration and naming for President and Vice-President, men who stood without reservation for all the principles and policies of the Republican party as exemplified by the Roosevelt administration. At that time he positively declined to commit himself until he knew more about the situation."

"I wish to say that there will be no ifs nor ands in the resolutions passed by the next Republican State convention, but that it will instruct its delegates to tender to President Roosevelt a second nomination; that if he should then refuse the call of the people, to vote for Secretary Taft as second choice. This is the overwhelming sentiment of the people of the State today. Chairman Adams does not even know this as yet."

"He has just been forced to get on the Roosevelt band wagon, though with an 'if' because he thinks the 'if' will not happen. But, if he should see the Taft tidal wave coming he will jump into it with both feet and swear that he was the original Taft man."

Butler repeats his charge that part of the five million dollars conspiracy fund is being used in the South, and that there is evidence that some of it is being spent in North Carolina. He says he has called no names, but that he accurately described "the conduct of some few officeholders and certain politicians." He says these agents of the conspiracy have busted themselves in favor of sending an unstructured delegation to the national convention; that while professing loyalty to Roosevelt they have argued that he could not break his pledge. Following his description of the agents of the conspiracy in the South, Butler says:

"It was this exposure of the seductive scheme of the conspiracy that has so excited Mr. Adams, and he has by his blustering denial and personal abuse confessed that the above description fits him exactly. There is

much evidence in addition as to him, which I can give in detail, and besides give my authority for each detail."

Butler says an examination of Adams' interview shows that he is not in line squarely for the President. Continuing, the ex-Populist Senator says: "Adams says that if the President is a candidate he will be for him. This all of the hypocrites have been saying all the while. But notice that he dodges again as to who will be his second choice for President. This is in keeping with his past duplicity."

With reference to Adams' statement reading him out of the party, Butler said: "All I have to say is that Adams is a product of the old Southern patronage machine. He hates every recruit that has come to the party. Adams is one of that class of men who are accurately described by Secretary Taft in his Greensboro speech as those who put patronage and the personal machine above the principles of the party and its growth and success. This is why the patronage machine fellows hate Secretary Taft."

Butler again says of Adams: "I knew when he was elected that he was too small for the job, and besides, unfitted for it."

"Adams says that you have been repudiated by your State and that you are politically as dead as a door nail," was a question to Butler that brought forth this reply:

"Oh, I do not care to notice that. He borrowed that statement from Josephus Daniels who happens now to be the Democratic Oracle in North Carolina. It so happens that Adams and Josephus Daniels are in harmony on two things; they are both against Roosevelt and Taft, and they are both against Republican growth in North Carolina."

Butler says Adams as chairman failed to run a vigorous campaign, and as a result "lost the party many thousands of votes at the last election."

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Tuesday, May 14, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, May 14, 1907.
Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, May 13:
Temperature at 8 A. M., 58 degrees; at 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 52 degrees; mean, 63 degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, 3.48 inches.
Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Monday, 8.4 feet.

Forecast

For North Carolina—Fair, warmer Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy; fresh southerly to south winds.

Port Almanac—May 14.

Sun Rises.....4:55 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:51 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs., 58 min.
High water at Southport 9:29 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 11:59 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. D. Montrose Bain, of the staff of the Morning Star, has returned from his home in Columbus, where he has been recuperating from a recent attack of measles.

—Miss Laura L. Stephens, of Chicago, who has been the guest of her brother, Mr. Burrett H. Stephens, in this city, for several months, have returned to her home.

—Mrs. Mary Crosswell Bowen, of Laurens, S. C., has arrived in the city and is a guest at the home of her son, Captain J. D. Bowen, No. 20 North Seventh street.

—Mr. Burrett H. Stephens, who is now in charge of the building of a large oil refinery for the Swift Fertilizer Works at Charlotte, N. C., is in the city for a few days.

—Mr. Martin VanOesen has returned from a visit of two weeks to friends and relatives in Charleston, S. C. While away he attended the National schuetzenfest in Charleston, which was an affair of wide interest.

—Mr. B. McD. Russell, a son of the late Benj. R. Russell and for the past several years a resident of Lynchburg, Va., has returned to the city and will have a position as drummer with Kneissel's Orchestra at the beach this summer.

—Rev. Percy G. Elsom, the pastor-evangelist who has been assisting Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., in a series of meetings at the First Baptist Church, returned Saturday to his home, going via Raleigh where he preached Sunday.

—Miss Lucy McIntosh, of this city, who is a member of the music faculty of the Presbyterian College, Charlotte, arrived yesterday afternoon and will spend the day at home. She leaves over the A. C. L. this afternoon for New York and will there join a party which is to sail for Liverpool on Friday morning. Miss McIntosh expects to spend the greater part of the summer in London, doing special work in music and will travel some in France and Germany.

CARD FROM MR. MEARES.

Editor of The Star:
Dear Sir: I note in your account of the colloquy between Judge Purnell and Governor Russell, published in your Sunday edition, that Judge Purnell informed Governor Russell that he (Judge Purnell) had said that Iredell Meares had given the article published in The Star to the paper. Governor Russell also informs me that your report correctly states what Judge Purnell said.

I did not write, prepare or dictate the article. I did not even give the facts to The Star upon which the article was based. I did not, in advance, know of its intended publication. I did not know of its publication until the afternoon of the day it appeared in the paper, when it was called to my attention. The statement of Judge Purnell, therefore, is simply not true.

IREDELL MEARES.

May 13th, 1907.

Funeral of Mrs. J. J. Hedrick.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah E. Hedrick, who passed away Saturday afternoon at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary Hedrick, in this city, was conducted Sunday evening at 6 o'clock from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, of which she was a devoted communicant. The service was by Rev. A. W. Seabreeze and a large number of friends were present to pay a last sad mark of respect to the good woman. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the pall-bearers having been Messrs. P. Q. and Roger Moore, J. H. and W. L. Beery, W. P. Toomer and William Howey, active; Capt. Walter G. MacRae and Mr. Samuel Northrop, honorary.

Funeral of Mrs. Pittman.

In the presence of a large number of friends and relatives, the funeral of Mrs. Minnie W. Pittman, wife of Mr. W. H. Pittman, was conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Mercer, No. 212 North Second street, and the interment was in Bellevue. The services were by Rev. A. G. Martin, of Southside Baptist Church, and many beautiful floral offerings were laid on the casket. The pall-bearers were Messrs. John Thomas, R. B. Moore, J. F. Littleton, J. F. Baggett, A. D. Rich and A. D. Bender.

Odd Fellows to Elizabeth City.

The Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of North Carolina will be in session this week at Elizabeth City, N. C., and as usual Wilmington will be well represented. Among those who will attend are: Past Grand Master M. W. Jacob, Grand Treasurer R. J. Jones, Mr. N. Jacob, a Trustee of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage, E. N. Penny, L. W. Moore, E. Y. Davis, W. J. Reeves and others.

LOCAL DOTS.

—James Howe and Georgia Howe, his wife, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer H. W. Howell at Ninth and Princess streets. They are both colored and are charged with fighting. They will be given a hearing before the Mayor at noon today.

—The handsome silver cup, gold inlaid, offered by the Peters Cartridge Company as a trophy to be contested for by the Wilmington Gun Club during the present season will be placed on display in the show window of the Wilmington Cigar Company, on Princess street, this afternoon.

—Josh Simon, a well-known merchant of the Syrian colony, has gone for a trip back to his native country and expects to be away several months. He has taken a few friends into his confidence as to the object of his visit and will bring back a bride, wooed and won many years ago before Josh became comparatively rich in this country.

—The Fayetteville Observer says: "The Cumberland Savings and Trust Company have a very unique and profitable way of advertising their business by the means of small savings banks. Since last Saturday three hundred new depositors have been secured, and the demand for these banks has been so great that an additional supply has been ordered which will be here next week."

—Charlie Fredericks, a well-known colored man, died suddenly Sunday morning at his home, Queen between Eighth and Ninth streets, the cause having been heart failure. Fredericks had just told his wife that he was going to parch some coffee and as she turned to get the coffee the man fell dead. He was employed as a stove-dore at the compresses and at one time kept a shop. He was a prominent member of the Good Samaritans and the funeral will be conducted with the honors of that order today.

THE ORPHANS COMING.

Singing Class From Oxford to Give Concert Wednesday, May 22nd.

To the Editor:
Dear Sir: May we again have your valuable co-operation in making the coming visit of the Singing Class from the Oxford Orphan Asylum a blessing to the cause they represent and to our community?

The boys and girls will give an entertainment on Wednesday, May 22, 1907, at 8:15 o'clock P. M., in the Opera House.

Their concert is pure, bright and attractive, worthy of large and liberal patronage, even if it were not given in behalf of a work which merits our hearty support.

Anything you may say in your paper to bring the concert and the mission of the orphans most prominently before our people will be a real service.

We thank you in advance for your help.

Yours sincerely,
W. P. OLDHAM.
H. K. HOLDEN.
W. P. MONROE.

May 13, 1907.

Nelson Off to Atlanta.

Young Edward A. Nelson, sentenced at last week's term of the Federal Court in this city, was taken Sunday afternoon to Atlanta to begin the service of his 18-months' term in the Federal prison in Atlanta. He was taken from the jail personally by Marshal Dockery after having bidden adieu to his mother and wife half an hour before. The marshal and his prisoner rode down to the Carolina Central in a closed hack. Ed. Smith, colored, and L. D. H. Jones, white, the other prisoners for the Atlanta prison, were taken down to the depot by a deputy marshal.

Committees at Work.

The standing committees of the newly-elected Board of Aldermen are already hard at work. Yesterday the Police Committee was in session to award the contract for uniforms, and last night both the Finance and Water Committees were in session at the City Hall, to get their work in shape before the annual budget is made up the first of June. The Finance Committee devoted some time to considering the tax ordinance and the Water Committee, Chairman T. W. Wood, was together for the purpose of informally discussing the outlook for the coming year.

Board of Education in Session.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Education was held last night. Present, Chairman W. H. Sprunt, Capt. D. MacRae, Mr. George Rountree and County Treasurer H. M. Green. The report of the treasurer shows a balance on hand to the credit of the school fund May 1st, \$14,972.84. The Board had present a committee of colored citizens composed of Aaron Kellog, Dan Howard and Jas. A. Howard, who conferred as to some improvements wanted at the Peabody School. This matter was referred to Chairman Sprunt for report at the next meeting.

SPECIAL LOW RATES TO RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, AND RETURN.

Account unvelling Worth Bagley monument, Raleigh, N. C., May 20th, the Seaboard announces a low round trip rate of one first class fare, plus 25 cents, minimum rate 50 cents, from all points in North Carolina east and including Charlotte, including Norfolk-Portsmouth. Tickets to be sold May 19 and 20, excepting Norfolk-Portsmouth which will be sold May 19, final return limit May 21.

To take care of large movement expected, extra coaches will be provided on all trains that is necessary.

C. H. GATTIS.

T. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

May 7 to 20.

The Wilmington Furniture Co., 129 Market street, is selling everything, including a car of porch rockers just received; a shipment of 122 baby carriages and go-carts just received; 75 iron beds, at cost for cash. May 14-21

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FOR A PUBLIC PARK

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for this purpose.
Mr. Hogue amended Mr. Cole's motion to empower the committee to represent the needs of the movement upon the municipal authorities with a request that they consider the maintenance of one or more places of recreation.

Mr. George Rountree came in in the meantime and discussed the legal phase of the proposition with which the committee will go to the Board of Aldermen, saying that he was not sure that the city did not have a right to appropriate money for the purpose and promising an opinion from Mr. Empler and himself on this question. The constitution, Mr. Rountree said, has been greatly enlarged in late years by construction, and the doctrine of implied powers would apply in many cases where otherwise the law seemed to be against a proposition.

The chairman then named a committee, composed of Messrs. Rountree, Cole and Rev. R. W. Hogue, to appear before the Board of Aldermen at a special meeting to be held tonight. It was later suggested that the number of the committee be made five. Mr. Rountree declined to serve, saying that professional engagements would prevent. The chairman was then empowered to complete the committee at his leisure, and the meeting adjourned full of enthusiasm and hope.

Mr. Taylor, the chairman of the meeting, announced later the full committee as follows: Rev. R. W. Hogue, J. O. Carr, Esq., Mr. M. J. Corbett, Mr. Henderson Cole and Col. Walker Taylor.

Kindergarten to the Beach.

The kindergarten taught by Miss Anna Savage and Miss Florence Bonitz in connection with Immanuel Presbyterian Church will close a most successful year's work with an outing next Friday at Carolina Beach. Teachers and pupils will go down on the steamer Wilmington, and they are hopeful of having as many friends as possible to accompany them. This will afford a fine opportunity to spend a day quietly down by the ocean and all are invited. Further notice of the outing will be given later in the week.

COREY-GILMAN WEDDING.

Steel Magnate Married to Actress in New York.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New York, May 14.—In order to escape the unlucky 13th of the month William Ellis Corey, president of the United States Steel Corporation, and Mabelle Gilman, the former actress, were not married until after midnight this (Tuesday) morning. The ceremony took place in the "Royal Suite" at the Hotel Gotham, Fifth avenue and Fifty-fifth street, in the presence of a small party of friends of the contracting couple. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. L. Clark, pastor of the Bushwick Avenue Congregational Church of Brooklyn. The wedding is said to have cost \$5,000 including supper and magnificent decorations.

After the nuptials Mr. Corey and his bride took an automobile and whirled away to Hoboken, where they boarded the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, which will sail at 7:30 o'clock. They will occupy the captain's suite, which has been specially fitted up for the trip. Mr. Corey was attended by a valet and Mrs. Corey by a maid.

Mr. and Mrs. Corey will proceed to Paris and will then go to the Chateau Gelais, 25 miles from Paris, where the honeymoon will be spent. They expect to remain there until they return to America about the middle of July.

—New Bern, May 11: A rare surgical operation was successfully performed Thursday night. It was similar to an operation recently performed in a Philadelphia hospital, and which arouses widespread interest. The patient is Mrs. E. Howe, the daughter of the late L. J. Moore. On April first twin sons were born to Mrs. Howe, and a malady has developed which appeared to be consuming the baby. This week it became apparent that heroic means must be used to save her life and the transfusion of blood from the body of a healthy person was introduced into her veins to supply the deficiency. Her husband volunteered the supply of the red life fluid to the sufferer. It is estimated that fully one pint of blood was transfused. Drs. T. M. Hughes and R. S. Primrose performed the operation. The operation was successful and the patient is improving. The operation is regarded as a hazardous, and as a last resort. It is believed Mrs. Howe will recover.

DIED.

TOON.—At the home of her son, W. P. Toon, No. 516 Princess street, MRS. S. E. TOON, relict of the late Col. W. H. Toon, aged 70 years and four months.

Funeral this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the residence. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

DIED.

At Newberry, S. C., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Norwood, May 11, 1907, Mrs. Eliza R. Daggett, widow of the late W. T. Daggett, of Wilmington. Remains arrived in Wilmington Monday night and the funeral will take place at 6:30 o'clock this (Tuesday) evening at Oakdale Cemetery Lodge. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

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Remnant Sale.

Our bargain week just ended, proved to be a great success, and owing to the enormous business we did, has left on our counters and shelves many short ends and remnants, that we offer at about half price for this week.

The Following Prices Will Give You a Faint Idea:

36-inch plain White Lawn, worth 10c, Remnant Sale 5c.

8c Figured Lawn 4 1-2c.

12 1-2c Light Percale, beautiful patterns, Remnant Sale, ...9 1-2c.

8c Lace Stripes Lawn, white, ...5c.

10c Light Outing 7 1-2c.

10c Plaid and Strip Dress Gingham, fine patterns for children 6 1-2c.

Linen Suits, just the thing for skirts for the beach, 25c values, Remnant Sale, ...15c.

75c and \$1.00 White Shirt-Waist Set, 2 1-4 Lawn, with embroidered piece for front and collar, Remnant sale, 39c.

may 12-14

The Keeley Institute at Greensboro is doing an immense business right now. It has patients in the sanitarium from five different States.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover: Superior Court.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court rendered at April Term, 1907, in the case of the Brunswick Grocery Company et al. against J. A. Taylor, the undersigned Receiver, appointed by said decree, hereby gives notice to all creditors of W. C. Thomas & Company, of Cronly, N. C., having claims against the said business conducted at Cronly, N. C., alone, to present the said claims to him, or to John D. Bellamy & Son, attorneys, properly verified on or before the 25th day of May, 1907, or this notice will be placed in bar of the creditors of W. C. Thomas & Company, of Cronly, N. C., participating in any of the assets of the said firm.

This the 23rd day of April, 1907.
J. A. TAYLOR,
Receiver.

apr 23-30days

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Tickets on sale May 26th to June 2nd, return trip to begin not later than June 11th. Tickets must be validated at Richmond or Norfolk, and will be good returning from either point.

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FIRST: Feeding and shoeing mules and horses for such a number as the city may employ.

SECOND: For lighting the city with gas and electricity.

THIRD: For lumber per 1,000 feet of merchantable quality and in quantities as required.

FOURTH: For printing stationery and advertising.

FIFTH: For feeding prisoner per meal.

SIXTH: For lighting and repairing gas and oil lamps of the city and furnishing oil for the latter.

SEVENTH: For brick, lime, cement and ice.

EIGHTH: For crushed stone for street paving and granite curbing. The right reserved to reject any and all bids.

WM. E. SPRINGER,
may 12-14 Mayor.

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BOY about 13 to 14 years old is wanted at the Star office to sweep out, bring water, etc.
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THEODORE H. PRICE'S SUIT.

Argument in Case Brought Against Cotton Exchange.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, May 13.—Arguments in the suit brought against the New York Cotton Exchange by Theodore H. Price with a view to correcting alleged abuses in the administration and rulings on the exchange were made today before Charles E. Rushmore, sitting as a referee. Henry W. Taft appeared on behalf of the exchange while the plaintiff was represented by William M. Ivins. Mr. Taft in his argument declared that Mr. Price has no ground for an action in equity. He asserted that the exchange has no actual duty as regards Mr. Price under its by-laws inasmuch as Mr. Price is not a member of the exchange and had entered into a contract with it, the exact provisions of which are known and acquiesced in by the plaintiff.

For the plaintiff Mr. Ivins argued that in view of the contract he holds with the exchange, Mr. Price has a legal right to fair and upright treatment, even though the privilege of actual membership is not extended to him. He declared that the Cotton Exchange is undertaking a public duty and that its responsibility should be commensurate with its transactions. Some of its practices, however, are unlawful and corrupt, he asserted.

At the conclusion of arguments it was agreed that both sides to the controversy should submit briefs on Thursday next. The court in the meantime will make a motion to dismiss the complaint under advisement. The referee's decision will be announced at another hearing set for Monday.

JAP JACKIES BEATEN.

Austrians and Americans Won Yesterday's Races at Jamestown.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Norfolk, Va., May 13.—The Italian sailors swept everything before them in the international boat races between the crews of the various warships anchored in Hampton Roads today, winning three out of the four races that were pulled and losing the fourth race by fouling the battleship Indiana's boat.

There was a pot of money up on the last race, and it was bow and bow from start to the finish three miles distant. Just before the two boats came to the line the coxswain of the cutter of the cruiser Varez steered into the Indiana's boat, grazing the bow. The Americans were in the lead, and the race went to them, despite the foul. The action of the Italians in this race caused a great deal of bad feeling to be shown between the crews of the two boats.

Five races were scheduled to occur, but owing to the crew's failing to report for the second event a four-oared dugby contest was called off. The showing of the Japanese was very poor. They were entered in the three mile service cutter race and finished in the last two places, being hopelessly distanced.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Beat a boy out of a dime and the crime will never outlaw.

Comparison may not be a detraction, but it is certainly a half sister.

The truth with unselfish people is they are liable to brag about it.

There is only one way in this world to get your own way—insist upon it.

Almost any defense would be all right if you could make people believe it.

It is just as dangerous to tell some people a secret as it is to fool with a loaded gun.

When a man submits to a procession wedding the other men look at him the way boys look at a boy whose mother makes him wear long curls.

The man who has made a failure in any line of business never has a very good opinion of the man who started in the same line at the same time and made it a success.—Aitchison Globe.

Too Deep.

The story is told of a lank, disconsolate looking farmer who one day during the progress of a political meeting in Cooper Institute stood on the steps with the air of one who has been surfeited with a feast of some sort.

"Do you know who's talking in there now?" demanded a stranger briskly, pausing for a moment beside the disconsolate farmer, "or are you just going in?"

"No, sir. I've just come out," said the farmer decidedly. "Mr. Evarts is talking in there."

"What about?" asked the stranger.

"Well, he didn't say," the farmer answered, passing a knotted hand across his forehead.

A Pet Tiger.

Out of a river bed where it had tumbled when its dam was put to flight some hunters in India fished a tiger cub. In two days it was as tame as a kitten and grew up the playmate of the camp terriers. It was very fond of them and the terriers worshiped the tigress. To allay the fears of a woman visitor the tigress was one night chained up. Next morning the animal was found with a man under her. She had not hurt him. He was a thief and, not knowing of her existence, had come within the area which her length of chain enabled her to command. She sprang upon him, lay on him and kept him prisoner until guards came to release him.

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A Pointer In Stocks.

(Original.)

Benedict Lamont was a New York stock operator. He didn't buy or sell stocks for the reasons people usually buy and sell. He bought and sold them because he was in with those who put them up and put them down.

Mrs. Lamont was some fifteen years younger than her husband, very pretty and fond of admiration. She was also fond of the stock market and would occasionally have taken a flier herself had her husband permitted her. He did not even inform her how he operated. Not having confidence either in her ability to keep a secret or to make money in stocks, he gave her no satisfaction whatever. This and the fact that she was by nature a bit of a gambler greatly irritated her. Then, when on one occasion the clique with whom her husband operated was outgeneraled by another clique, to the disadvantage of the former, and Lamont especially, the wife made up her mind that she knew quite as much about stockjobbing as he did.

About this time came Lansing Van Brunt, a member of the old Knickerbocker society, into which Mrs. Lamont was desirous of gaining a foothold. He, being desirous of gaining a foothold in Mrs. Lamont's affections, humored her views on all subjects and, perceiving a point in which he might drive a wedge between her and her husband, was not slow to take advantage of it. He told her that the only way for any person not a manager of the companies whose stock was operated in was by a pointer, usually called a tip. One day he announced to her that he had received a tip on D. Y. and Q. common stock which was perfectly reliable and advised her if she felt inclined to speculate to buy some of it. Her husband had recently given her \$1,000 for the purchase of a diamond brooch she desired to possess, and after hesitating some time between the brooch and her wish to show him that she knew a thing or two she yielded to Van Brunt's representations and put her money in 100 shares of D. Y. and Q. Van Brunt really believed in the reliability of his information and considered the lady's chance of at least doubling her money almost certain.

Lamont was aware of Van Brunt's attentions to his wife; but, being a man accustomed to work behind a screen, he made no comment, leaving his wife free to act for herself without admonitions from him. Van Brunt knew very well that Lamont was an operator whose slightest word in reference to the market would be considered of great value. One day on entering Lamont's private room at home he saw lying on a desk a paper. He did not scruple to read it and found it an order to Lamont's managing broker to send out orders to buy various large amounts of D. Y. and Q. common stock. The envelope, addressed, was lying beside the order, the writer having evidently forgotten to take them with him when he went out. Van Brunt left the room just as Lamont returned. The latter took up the order and envelope, went out and downtown. This was the source of Van Brunt's information, though he did not reveal it to Mrs. Lamont.

D. Y. and Q. common stock rose a few points, and Van Brunt said to Mrs. Lamont, "I told you so." Then it sank a point, and he said, "Wait." He was laughing in his sleeve that the husband should have given him the wedge between himself and his wife. Then the stock began to sink gradually, recovering, fluttering like a bird undecided whether to fly to a higher or a lower limb. Then there came a slump in the market, and Mrs. Lamont's investment was wiped out.

If the lady had been in love with Van Brunt, possibly the incident might not have turned her against him. Women unless they love are not prone to amiability toward persons through whose instrumentality they make losses. Mrs. Lamont had lost her brooch, and she held Mr. Van Brunt accountable. Had he been rich he might have made it good to her, but he was simply a society man, not a millionaire. Besides, he had lost heavily by his pointer himself. At any rate, the lady dismissed him from the position of her cavalier, and he was obliged to seek other fields for conquest.

"What's become of Van Brunt?" asked Lamont one evening. "I haven't seen him around here for a week."

Now, Mrs. Lamont had made a vow that she would never reveal the secret of her loss to her husband, but curiosity had come in to render the keeping of it very hard on her. She had expected her husband would have been much depressed on account of his losses in D. Y. and Q. stock. On the contrary, he was chipper.

"Perhaps," said the wife for a feeler, "he thinks you have made losses in stocks lately and doesn't feel like seeing any one."

"I lost in stocks? How did he get that idea? I've just made a pile of money. By the bye, my dear, have you bought your brooch?"

Mrs. Lamont struggled for a time against tears, but they overcame her. Her husband took her in his arms.

"Never mind, sweetheart. I suspected Van Brunt was advising you and left an order on my desk for him to see. He was not too honorable to read and act on it, and I take it for granted that you have lost your thousand dollars. I had sold out all or nearly all the stock referred to at a great profit. Since I sold a part of what was left to you and Van Brunt I'll make your loss good. He can get his loss back on another tip."

Mrs. Lamont got her brooch and left speculation to her husband.

F. TOWNSEND SMITH.

—Raleigh News and Observer, May 12: Governor R. B. Glenn returned yesterday afternoon from Lumberton, weary from the strenuous work of the week spent in two trips—one to Hyde and one to Robeson county. In Lumberton Friday he delivered the oration at the unveiling of the monument erected on the court house square to the Confederate veterans of Robeson county. In speaking to a News and Observer reporter, upon his arrival at the depot yesterday afternoon, concerning his trip to Lumberton, the Governor expressed himself as delighted with the progressiveness of the beautiful town. On the occasion he said there were fully ten thousand people present—the largest crowd he ever addressed in North Carolina. A remark of the Governor's in regard to the good order of the crowd is significant and of interest to the friends of prohibition, as well as a high compliment to the citizenship of the county. Said he: "In all that crowd of ten thousand people, I did not see a drunken man, nor one that I could say was under the influence of liquor." There is not a barroom or dispensary in the county, Robeson having been for two decades a leader for prohibition.

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SPRITS TURPENTINE

The Secretary of State has chartered the Moss Planning and Lumber Company, of Washington, N. C., capital stock, \$120,000, Beverly G. Moss being the principal stockholder. The Eureka Manufacturing Company, of Lincoln, has been given authority to increase its capital stock from \$6,000 to \$18,000.

Mica, Mitchell County, correspondence Bakersville Observer: News has been received here of a very sad battle which occurred at Altapass in which two men engaged, and while shooting at each other the wife of one came to stop the fight when her husband shot her, while attempting to shoot the other man. Then the other man shot him. Which makes husband and wife killed in one racket.

Charlotte Observer: The Avant Wood Working Company, with W. A. Avant as manager, and C. A. Eastman designer, has been organized and is doing business at the intersection of the Seaboard Air Line Railway and Poplar and Church streets. This concern will make fine chairs and tables—all high grade stuff. The office is located at 922 North Poplar street. None but the best of woods will be used in the manufacture of the various products of the shop.

Salisbury, N. C., May 11: "God has revealed to me the day that I have overthrown the kingdom of God," were the words written on a piece of paper by Mrs. Bina Patterson, a prominent Rowan woman, last night, as she lay dying on her bed with her throat cut from ear to ear by her own hand. Her husband, Mr. John Patterson, residing nine miles from Salisbury, and four children stood by her bed as life ebbed away. Mrs. Patterson had been demented for several weeks, though in splendid physical condition. While surrounded by the members of her family last night, she seized a razor and walking into the yard slashed her throat from left to right with the weapon. The deed was committed in plain view of her husband and children, who with great effort carried her to a bed where she died a few minutes later. The cause of her mental weakness is said to have been religious enthusiasm, following a sermon preached in her hearing a week ago.

Hartford, May 11: Thursday night the postoffice at Winfall, two miles north of this place, just across the river, was broken in and \$400 in money and more than \$100 in stamps stolen. The burglars used the usual methods. Broke into a shop, stole tools, made their raise and were off before the sun rose. Hurricane Branch with his bloodhounds, was speedily sent for and tracked them to where they had thrown down a part of the booty taken, thence by the aid of their master, to the depot of this town, where two men were seen the next day and bought tickets for Elizabeth City. As the dogs did not take up the trail when taken to Elizabeth City it is supposed that they did not get off at that place. With this much to start with, it seems that the sleuths of the department will have little trouble to overhaul them. This section will need to be watchful during the exposition. The craft will think that they can make a stroke and lose themselves in the crowd at Norfolk.

Charlotte Observer, May 12: When it became known that Capt. C. M. Etheredge, late treasurer of the city, was short in his accounts, many began to wonder if he would be prosecuted. The people who knew him well were loath to discuss the matter, for they did not want to see him punished, but the demands of the law made it necessary to charge him with embezzlement and let him answer before a court of justice. Therefore talk of prosecution was rife. Mr. John A. McRae, the new city attorney, felt that Capt. Etheredge should be brought to trial and urged that his arrest be made. But, while this discussion was going on, Capt. Etheredge, of his own accord, accompanied by his attorney, Mr. Thomas C. Guthrie, went before Recorder Smith yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and was bound over to the next term of Mecklenburg Superior Court. The formalities of the law were observed. Recorder Smith made out the warrant, the defendant waived examination, and the bond was fixed at \$1,000, which was given with Mr. B. D. Springs as surety. Immediately after the bond was signed and endorsed Capt. Etheredge returned to his home on North Church street. The friends of the defendant in this case believe that he will get the mercy of the court, for he has reached an advanced age, and is a man of attractive manners, right instincts and good family.

Don't Pay Alimony.
There will be no occasion for it if you keep your bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their action is so gentle that the appendix never has cause to make the least complaint. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy, Druggist, 25c. Try them.

GOT HIS HAIR BACK.

Was Perfectly Bald When He Started to Use Newbro's Herpicide.

Frederick Mansell, Maryland block, Butte, Montana, bought a bottle of Newbro's Herpicide, April 6, '06, and began to use it for extra baldness. The hair follicles in his scalp were not dead and in 20 days he had hair all over his head. On July 2 he writes, "and today my hair is as thick and luxuriant as any one could wish." Newbro's Herpicide works on an old principle and with a new discovery—destroys the cause and you remove the effect. Herpicide destroys the germ that causes dandruff, falling hair, and finally baldness, so that with the cause gone the effect cannot remain. Stops falling hair at once and a new growth starts. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.
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In dust tight moisture proof packages.

the only perfect soda cracker.
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Modern skill has given to
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Latter day science has
food for man.
the one absolutely necessary
4600 years have proved wheat
The instinct and habit of

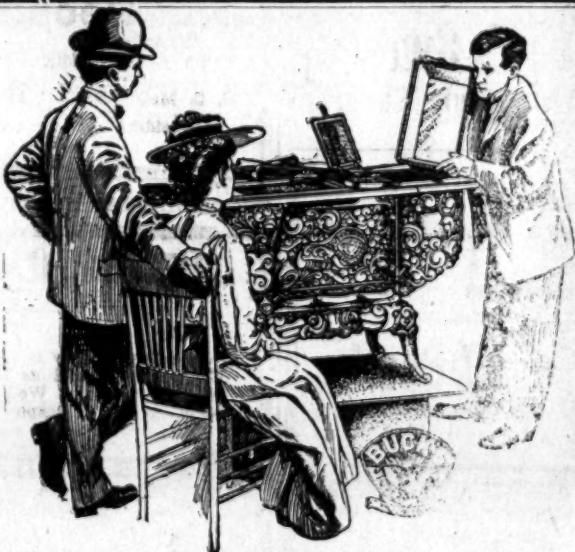
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Merchants and Manufacturers who employ outside capital in their business will do well to establish accounts with this bank. We expect to lend money to our depositors and are prepared to extend such financial aid as is required.

Our large resources enable us to take care of all customers.

Atlantic National Bank.



Call and let us show it to you, that is all we ask of you.

Wm. E. Springer & Co.

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MONDAY, APRIL 22ND

We will inaugurate a clearance sale, to dispose of, in six weeks, every piece of goods of every kind in our retail stores, No. 129 Market, and 19, 21 and 21 1-2 N. Second streets. We have

About \$6,000.00 Worth

of fresh, new, staple goods, but every piece MUST go at some price. We will occupy our new store in the new Garrell Building June the first. We are determined to not put one single piece in there ever shown on our other floors, therefore must sell what we have on hand.

Some of these goods will go at cost, many below cost, some perhaps at a minimum profit. At these prices, we shall expect CASH. Arrangements can be made to buy at installment, though. In the stock is a solid car of porch goods received this week.

THE WILMINGTON FURNITURE CO.

GREAT REDUCTION SALE

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

A. D. BROWN'S

"THE MODEST PRICE STORE."

Unheard of Values for Such Goods.

A Bank For all People.

Depositors

who offer modest sums for safe keeping will be accorded the same courteous attention as those who tender thousands.

Borrowers

who need small amounts will be given the same respectful consideration as those who require large sums. We hold that all persons are entitled to the same consideration, without regard to the size of the transaction.

The Desirability

of our location, our capital deposits of \$1,000,000.00, leads us to suggest that we be permitted to serve you in a banking way.

Our Aim

is always to make our customers our friends. We will appreciate your account, and in our business relations you will find that we will use every effort to be your friend, and to number you among our friends.

These Rules

which governed us in the treatment of our patrons in the past will continue to govern us in the future. Your every want, your every requirement will be considered carefully and acted upon at once at the

Southern National Bank
Wilmington, N. C.

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Marshal's Sale of Schooner Stanley H. Minor.

District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In Admiralty:

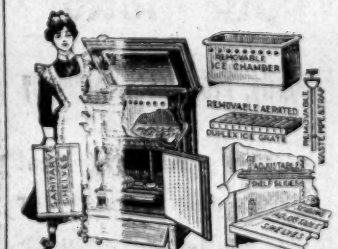
The Wilmington, Southport & Little River Company, owners of the steam tugs Blanche and Alexander Jones, and L. J. Pepper, master of the steam tug Blanche, and W. A. Sanders, master of the steam tug Alexander Jones, for themselves and on behalf of the officers and crew of said steam tugs Blanche and Alexander Jones, and William St. George, C. B. St. George, W. C. Newton, B. F. Newton, Walker Newton, and J. J. Weeks, owners of the schooner Isabel, and J. J. Weeks, master of said schooner Isabel, for himself and on behalf of the officers and crew of said Isabel,

The Schooner Stanley H. Minor, her tackle, apparel, furniture, freight and cargo.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause in admiralty, at Wilmington, the 7th day of May, 1907, by Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, District Judge, the undersigned, directed by said decree, will sell to the highest bidder at public auction, for cash, at the front door of the U. S. Post Office at Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1907, at one o'clock P. M., the four masted schooner, Stanley H. Minor, her tackle, apparel, furniture, freight and cargo, the latter consisting of about four hundred and fifty thousand feet of lumber, as the same are now situated, lying and being on Battery Island, the said schooner and freight, and the cargo, to be sold separately, the purchasers of the cargo to have thirty days to remove the schooner to a point in the river with sufficient water or to a safe place to discharge the cargo.

CLAUDIOUS DOCKERY,
U. S. Marshal.

White Mountain



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The Chest with the Chill in it. If you are thinking of buying a Refrigerator, you should call and let us show you the many advantages of the WHITE MOUNTAIN GRAND over other makes. You will find them a thing of beauty, durability and economy.

J. W. Murchison & Co.

Dressed Turkeys,

Dressed Chickens,

Veal, Lamb, Beef,

Strawberries,

Asparagus,

New Irish Potatoes,

Tomatoes,

Soft Shell Crabs,

Palace Market

Phone No. 72 Quick Delivery.

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Clyde Steamship Company, New York, Wilmington, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C. Lines



New York for Wilmington.

S. S. Carib.....Friday, May 17

S. S. Navahoe.....Friday, May 17

Wilmington to New York.

S. S. Navahoe.....Friday, May 17

S. S. Carib.....Saturday, May 25

Wilmington for Georgetown.

S. S. Carib.....Monday, May 20

S. S. Navahoe.....Monday, May 27

Both steamers have good passenger accommodations.

Through bills of lading and lower through rates guaranteed to and from points in North and South Carolina.

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Large, Late
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EASTER FOOT-WEAR

have just come in. Having been too late for Easter trade, many specials will be sold at Bargain Prices. "A word to the Wise is sufficient." Our Ladies, Misses and Children Low Cuts are very attractive in price and quality.

Florsheim, Douglas and Tuttle Low Cuts in newest styles and Leathers, are "Beauties."

To be appreciated—these must all be seen.

Don't buy till you see what we have.

Respectfully,

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Lots Several

Coffee and Rice.

ASK FOR SAMPLES AND PRICES.

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(INCORPORATED.)

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Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of the Court all creditors of Neutralgine Chemical Company are required and hereby notified to present their claims duly proven, as required by law, to the undersigned receiver of said Neutralgine Chemical Company on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1907, or this notice will be plead if necessary in bar of recovery.

This 20th day of April, A. D. 1907.

WOODUS KELLUM,

Receiver of Neutralgine Chemical Company.

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SEABOARD AIR LINE Ry.

SPECIAL RATES VIA SEABOARD

AIR LINE RAILWAY.

Richmond, Va.—Confederate Veterans Reunion, May 30th to June 30th, rate of one cent per mile, plus 25 cents will apply.

Durham, N. C.—N. C. Bankers' Association, May 22nd-24th, rate of fare one-third on certificate plan basis will apply.

Dickson, Tenn.—General Assembly Cumberland Presbyterian Church, May 16th-25th, one first class fare plus 25 cents will apply.

San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal.—Imperial Council Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, May 6th-11th, rates based on practically one fare for the round trip will apply from Raleigh, \$76.50; Wilmington, \$76.50; Charlotte, \$76.50.

Birmingham, Ala.—General Assembly Presbyterian Church in the United States, May 16th-25th, one first class fare plus 25 cents for the round trip will apply.

Charleston, S. C.—Fifth National Schutzenfest Nationaler Schutz Bund du Veigelten Staate von Amerika, May 6th-14th, rate on basis of one first class fare plus 25 cents will apply.

For rates from other points, dates of sales, etc., apply to Seaboard Agent or the undersigned:

C. H. GATTIS, T. P. A.,

Raleigh, N. C.

L. O. REAVIS, C. T. A.,

Wilmington, N. C.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 6th, 1907.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

No. 48	No. 49
Ar Wilmington.....12.57 p m	Ar Goldsboro.....6.36 p m
Ar Rocky Mount.....3.40 p m	Ar Norfolk.....2.32 p m
Ar Weldon.....5.08 p m	Ar Norfolk.....2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk.....8.15 p m	Ar Weldon.....5.08 p m
Ar Wilson.....3.09 p m	Ar Petersburg.....7.12 p m
Ar Weldon.....5.08 p m	Ar Richmond.....8.00 p m
Ar Petersburg.....7.12 p m	Ar Washington.....11.40 p m
Ar Richmond.....8.00 p m	Ar Baltimore.....1.43 a m
Ar Washington.....11.40 p m	Ar Philadelphia.....4.26 a m
Ar Baltimore.....1.43 a m	Ar New York.....7.30 a m
Ar Philadelphia.....4.26 a m	
Ar New York.....7.30 a m	

SOUTHBOUND

No. 41	No. 49
Ar New York.....1.25 a m	Ar Philadelphia.....3.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia.....3.25 p m	Ar Baltimore.....2.32 p m
Ar Baltimore.....2.32 p m	Ar Washington.....3.21 p m
Ar Washington.....3.21 p m	Ar Norfolk.....3.30 a m
Ar Norfolk.....3.30 a m	Ar Richmond.....7.25 p m
Ar Richmond.....7.25 p m	Ar Petersburg.....8.05 p m
Ar Petersburg.....8.05 p m	Ar Weldon.....9.58 p m
Ar Weldon.....9.58 p m	Ar Rocky Mount.....11.40 p m
Ar Rocky Mount.....11.40 p m	Ar Wilson.....8.40 a m
Ar Wilson.....8.40 a m	Ar Goldsboro.....6.05 a m
Ar Goldsboro.....6.05 a m	Ar Wilmington.....10.00 a m
Ar Wilmington.....10.00 a m	

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH

Daily	Daily	Daily
Ar Wilm'ton.....12.45 a m	Ar Florence.....3.35 p m	Ar Columbia.....12.45 p m
Ar Florence.....3.35 p m	Ar Columbia.....12.45 p m	Ar Charleston.....1.40 p m
Ar Columbia.....12.45 p m	Ar Charleston.....1.40 p m	Ar Savannah.....6.45 p m
Ar Charleston.....1.40 p m	Ar Savannah.....6.45 p m	Ar Jacksonville.....8.40 a m
Ar Savannah.....6.45 p m	Ar Jacksonville.....8.40 a m	Ar Tampa.....7.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville.....8.40 a m	Ar Tampa.....7.10 p m	
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NORTHBOUND.

Daily	Daily	Daily
Ar Tampa.....9.00 p m	Ar Jacksonville.....8.35 a m	Ar Columbia.....12.45 p m
Ar Jacksonville.....8.35 a m	Ar Columbia.....12.45 p m	Ar Charleston.....1.40 p m
Ar Columbia.....12.45 p m	Ar Charleston.....1.40 p m	Ar Savannah.....6.45 p m
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Ar Tampa.....7.10 p m		

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW-BERN.

West Bound	East Bound
Ar Wilmington.....12.45 a m	Ar Newbern.....6.10 p m
Ar Newbern.....6.10 p m	

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Washington and

Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east, also between Wilmington and Norfolk.

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W. J. CRAIG,

Passenger Traffic Manager.

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Through Pullman Sleepers to Louisville, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis.

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Ar. Cincinnati, 8:15 A. M. 5:00 P. M.

Ar. Chicago, 5:30 P. M. 7:10 A. M.

Ar. St. Louis, 6:28 P. M. 7:18 A. M.

Ar. Louisville, 11:20 A. M. 8:00 P. M.

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C. & O. Ry. Co., Richmond, Va.

H. W. FULLER

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SMOKE

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BLOSSOM

CIGARS!

WHY?

COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 13.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.
ROBIN—Steady, \$4.32 1-2.
TAR—Firm, \$2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm, \$3.50 per barrel for hard, \$4.80 bid for dip and \$5.25 bid for virgin.
Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, firm 63 1-2c; rosin, \$3.70 bid; tar, firm, \$1.80; crude turpentine, \$3.25, \$4.75 and \$5.25.

RECEIPTS.
Spirits Turpentine 24
Rosin 281
Tar 112
Crude Turpentine 42
Receipts same day last year, 61 casks spirits turpentine; 272 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 153 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, steady, 11 1-4.
Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-4c.
Receipts, 506 bales; same day last year, 1,261.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime \$1.45; extra prime, \$1.50; fancy, \$1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 new, \$1.20; fancy, \$1.25; Spanish, \$1.45@1.50.
CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.
N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@18c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides, 11@13c.
EGGS—Firm, 16@17c.
CHICKENS—Firm, 20@25 for small grows 40@50c.
BEEF—Firm, at 26@27c.
TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.
BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 7 1-2@8c per pound.
HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.
PORK—Corn fed 8@10.
TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, May 13.—The cotton market was a little less active than the average day of last week, but trading continued in fair volume, sales for the day being estimated at 300,000 bales. Fluctuations were somewhat irregular, with the old crop leading the advances and selling at a new high record for the movement. The close was steady on the old crop and easy on the new advance of 7 to 8 points on the near months to a decline of 2 to 6 points on the later positions. The opening was easy at a decline of 5 to 15 points in response to lower cables, a good weather map and the favorable character of the early forecast. There was a good deal of realizing and selling for turn early, but offerings were very well absorbed at the decline, and toward the middle of the morning the market began to advance on covering and bull support. July led the upward movement and fear of manipulation in that position accelerated the covering of shorts who were also influenced to some extent by the Western belt forecast calling for showers and lower temperatures. Wall street was a good buyer, believing that the conditions causing damage to winter wheat in the Southwest had also damaged cotton seriously, and July sold up to 10.83 or 18 points higher. Later positions rallied to about Saturday's final, but in the last few minutes the whole list sagged off, led by the late months under realizing. Southern spot markets were generally unchanged. Receipts at the ports today, 8,368 bales, against 10,624 last week and 11,307 last year. For the week, 60,000, against 59,332 last week and 80,374 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,594 bales, against 2,923 last year, and at Houston, 869 bales, against 1,595 last year.
Spot cotton closed steady, 5 points higher; middling uplands, 11.95; middling Gulf, 12.20; sales, 1,100 bales.
Futures closed very easy, distant months steady.

	Open.	Close.
May	10.78	10.78
June	10.60	10.78
July	10.65	10.81
August	10.40	10.46
September	10.36	10.44
October	10.53	10.64
November	10.54	10.64
December	10.55	10.65
January	10.66	10.78
February	10.78	10.78
March	10.83	10.83

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 12; net receipts, 3,397.
New Orleans—Easier, 11 11-16; net receipts, 15,94.
Mobile—Firm, 11 1-8; net receipts, 243.
Savannah—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts, 1,532.
Charleston—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts, 12.
Wilmington—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts, 506.
Norfolk—Firm, 12 1-2; net receipts, 88.
Baltimore—Nominal, 12 1-4.
New York—Steady, 11.95; net receipts, 98.
Boston—Steady, 11.95; net receipts, 98.
Philadelphia—Steady, 12.20.
Total today, at all ports—Net receipts, 8,368; Great Britain, 10,982; continent, 17,892; stock, 512,265.
Consolidated, at all ports—Net receipts, 19,812; Great Britain, 10,982; France, 28,740; Continent, 1,082.
Total since September 1st at all ports—Net receipts, 9,483,621; Great Britain, 3,558,829; France, 265,697; Continent, 3,180,477; Japan, 224,905.

Interior Movement.
Houston—Steady, 12; net receipts, 869.
Augusta—Steady, 11 1-2; net receipts, 318.
Memphis—Steady, 11 1-2; net receipts, 1,536.
St. Louis—Quiet, 11 1-2; net receipts, 145.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 75.
Total today—Net receipts, 2,943; gross receipts, 4,733; shipments, 5,266; sales, 924; stock, 231,149.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, May 13.—Cotton: Spot in fair demand; prices, 4 points lower. American middling, fair, 7.32; good middling, 7.28; middling, 6.74; low middling, 6.40; good ordinary, 5.74; ordinary, 5.36. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included, 7,400 American. Receipts, 4,000, including 200 American. Futures opened easier and closed quiet and steady. American middling, G. O. C., May, 6.23 1-2; May, and June, 6.23; June and July, 6.14 1-2; July and August, 6.09; August and September, 5.95; September and October, 5.86 1-2; October and November, 5.78 1-2; November and December, 5.76; December and January, 5.73 1-2; January and February, 5.55; February and March, 5.57 1-2; March and April, 5.54 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 13.—The dry goods market opened firm today. Greater activity was noted in the retail stores in and around New York, and in the late afternoon the jobbers were more active. Mail orders were large for the day. In the cotton goods division activity was quite general at first hands and prices are hardening. Some leading lines of silk piece goods are under order for fall. New lines of plaid dress goods from foreign and domestic mills are being shown.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, May 13.—Money on call, steady, 2@2 3-4 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 3-4; closing bid, 2; offered at 2 1-2. Time loans, dull and steady; sixty days, 4 per cent. and 90 days, 4@4 1-2 per cent.; six months, 4 3-4@5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers bills at 4.83@4.835 for demand, and at 4.833@4.835 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.84 and 4.87. Commercial bills, 4.83. Bar silver, 65 3-4. Mexican dollars, 50 1-2.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg.	104
U. S. Refunding 2s cou.	104
U. S. Reg.	102
U. S. 3s cou.	102
U. S. old 4s reg.	101 1-4
U. S. old 4s reg.	101 1-4
U. S. new 4s reg.	129 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou.	129 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	73
American Tobacco Co. 6s	106 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	74 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	110 3-4
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd.	69 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	95
American Sugar Refining	126 3-4
American Tobacco pfd cert.	92 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line	100 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	98 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd.	88
Chesapeake & Ohio	117 3-4
L. & N.	117
New York Central	115
Norfolk & Western	77
Norfolk & Western pfd	82
People's Gas	91 1-4
Reading	110 5-8
Reading 1st pfd	84 7-8
Reading 2nd pfd	80
Southern Pacific	84 7-8
Southern Pacific pfd.	114 1-4
Southern Railway	21
Southern Railway pfd.	66
Tenn. Coal & Iron	147 1-2
U. S. Steel	37 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd	100 1-4
Va-Car Chemical	27
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	103 3-4
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	520
Western Union	82 3-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, May 13.—FLOUR strong and higher. Minnesota patents, 4.50@5.00; winter patents, 4.00@4.40.
CORN MEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, 1.25; coarse, colored, 1.14 @1.16; kiln dried, 2.85@3.10.
WHEAT—Spot, strong; No. 2 red, 99 3-4 elevator. Options, 3 5-8@3 3-4c higher. July, 1.02 3-4; September, 1.03 1-4; December, 1.05 1-2.
CORN—Spot, firm; No. 2, 62c elevator. Options, 1-2 to 1c net higher.
May, 62; July, 60; September, 60 1-4.
OATS—Spot, firm; mixed, 45@47.
LARD—Firm; western prime, 9.50 @9.60; refined, firm; compound, 8 5-8 @8 7-8.
PORK—Firm; family, 19.00; short clear, 17.00@18.75; mess, 17.75@18.50.
TALLOW—Firm; city, 6 3-8; country, 6 1-8@6 3-8.
RICE—Steady.
MOLASSES—Steady.
SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.37; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.87; molasses sugar, 3.12; refined, steady.
COFFEE—Spot, Rio quiet; No. 7 Rio, 6 1-2; No. 4 Santos, 7 1-2; mild coffee, quiet; Cordova, 9@12 1-4. Futures unchanged to 5 points higher.
BUTTER—Steady; extra creamy, 25@25 1-2; creamery common to extra, 19@25; held, 19@23; State dairy, common to fancy, 19@24 1-2; renovated, common to extra, 17@24 1-2; western factory, common to firsts, 18 @22; western imitation creamery firsts, 22@23.
CHEESE—Steady; full cream, colored and white, small and large, 1 1-2@1 5-8; skims, 1 1-2@10 3-4; new cheese in light supply and held with more firmness, but only exceptional lots salable above 12 1-2 cents for colored or 12 cents for white. New large in light supply and firm at 12c.
EGGS—Weak; nearby selected white, 21; choice, 20; mixed extra, 19 1-2@20; firsts to extra firsts, 17 1-2 @18; western regular packed firsts, 17; seconds, 16 1-2.
FREIGHTS—Steady; common by steam, 17; grain by steam, 1 1-4.
PEANUTS—Firm; fancy hand-picked, 6 1-2@6 3-4; other domestic, 3 1-2@7.
POTATOES—Firm; Bermuda, new, per barrel, 3.50@6.00; Florida, 3.00@5.25; old potatoes, 2.25@2.65; sweet

potatoes, per barrel, 2.50@3.50.
CABBAGES—Firm; domestic, per barrel, 1.00@3.00; white Danish seed, per ton, 9@12.
COTTON SEED OIL was firm and higher on covering and the bullish statistical situation. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, nominal; prime summer yellow, 56; off summer yellow, 50 1-2 @54; prime white, 59@60; prime winter yellow, 59@60.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Chicago, May 13.—Wheat today on the Board of Trade crossed the dollar mark. Both the September and December options passed that figure at the opening of the day's trading, amid the wildest excitement. Despite reactions caused by heavy selling for profit, the market closed strong, and with the demand apparently unabated. Final quotations found the July option up 4 cents, at 95 5-8@95 3-4. The September option showed 4 cents advance at 97 5-8 and December 94 1-8@94 1-8. July corn is up 1@1 1-8. Oats gained 1-4@3-8. Provisions are 2 12 lower to 5@12 1-2 cents higher.

Leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat—May, 93 1-4; July, 93 5-8@93 3-4; September, 97 5-8; December, 99 1-8.
Corn—May, 52 3-8; July, 52 3-8@52 1-2; September, 52 1-2@52 5-8.
Oats—May, 45 3-4; July, 44 5-8@44 3-4; September, 37 3-4.
Mess pork, per barrel—July, 16.95; September, 16.95.
Lard, per 100 pounds—July, 9.50; September, 9.62 1-2.
Short ribs, per 100 pounds—July, 9.25; September, 9.37 1-2.
Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour, strong, No. 2 spring wheat, 98@1.00; No. 3, 90@1.00; No. 2 red, 92 1-4@94 1-2; No. 2 corn, 52 1-4@52 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 52 3-4@53 1-4; No. 2 oats, 45 3-4; No. 2 white, 45 1-2 @46; No. 3 white, 42@45 1-2; No. 2 rye, 78@79; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.87 1-2@9.12 1-2; mess pork, per barrel, 16.75@16.87 1-2; lard, per 100 pounds, 9.37 1-2; short clear sides (boxed), 9.12 1-2@9.37 1-2; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 13.—Turpentine, steady; rosin, firm.
Savannah, May 13.—Turpentine, steady, 63 1-2; sales, 245; receipts, 626; shipments, 655.
Rosin, firm; sales, 2,126; receipts, 1,296; shipments, 1,262; stock, 24,920. Quote: A. B. C. 4.40; D. 4.45; E. 4.65; F. 4.75; G. 4.80; H. 4.85; I. 4.87 1-2; K. 5.25; M. 5.30; N. 5.35 @5.45; W. G. 5.55; W. W. 5.65.
Charleston, May 13.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.
Charleston, May 13.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Theodore Weems, Hall, Baltimore, general cargo, Walter Smallbones.
Str. Navahoe, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.
Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, S. P. McNair.

CLEARED.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, Georgetown, S. C. H. G. Smallbones.
Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, S. P. McNair.

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.
Wilmington, May 13, 1907.
C. C. Railroad—13 bales cotton, 30 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.
W. & W. Railroad—7 bales cotton, 4 barrels rosin, 5 barrels crude turpentine.
W. C. & A. Railroad—464 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar, 19 barrels crude turpentine.
A. & Y. Railroad—7 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 49 barrels rosin, 14 barrels tar.
Str. Whitlock—16 casks spirits turpentine, 46 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.
Str. City of Fayetteville—2 casks crude turpentine, 15 barrels rosin, 42 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude turpentine.
Str. City of Fayetteville—2 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels rosin, 42 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude turpentine.
Str. Duplin—15 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 161 barrels rosin. Total—506 bales cotton, 34 casks spirits turpentine, 281 barrels rosin, 112 barrels tar, 42 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.
Steamers.
Elswick Grange (Br.), 2,572 tons, Wilson, C. D. Maffitt.
Ossabaw, 2,043 tons, Webb, F. A. Fetter.
Schooners.
Nellie W. Craig, 463 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.
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COTTON.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, May 13.—The New York World of Sunday publishes the following under the caption, "Cotton and Wheat Boom."

"Widespread areas in the South have been replanted because of damage by wet weather. Tails of fifteen-cent cotton and dollar wheat frightens Wall Street, the public is naturally a bull in its speculative enterprises and it has been many years since conditions have made the long side of cotton and wheat as attractive as they seem to be at present. Cotton and wheat brokers say that the public is coming into these markets in all sections of the country and that there is more general interest in the price movements of these commodities than at any other time in recent years. In this connection, the hearing of the suit brought by Theodore H. Price against the New York Cotton Exchange Classification Committee to compel it to adopt higher standards for classifying the staple will be watched with greatly increased interest not only in this city but throughout the South. While Mr. Price's 'moves' have been questioned in some quarters, there is a growing belief that he has acted for the best interests of the New York cotton trade and that if his suit is successful it will go a great way toward restoring to the New York institution its former prestige in the trade. The effect of the litigation has been already to bring the cotton options in New York to a closer parity with the prices prevailing on the Southern exchanges. A great majority of the trade agree with Mr. Price that it is inexplicable that a bale of middling cotton should be worth only 10 1-2 cents when delivered on a future contract and 11 3-4 cents when delivered to the New England spinner. Certainly a system is at fault that puts a purely fictitious price upon future contracts. It is difficult to understand how the members of the New York Cotton Exchange, many of whom had commenced to fear that their institution was becoming moribund and some of whom had sold, or were attempting to sell, their seats. This feeling, which had resulted in a decline in the price of Cotton Exchange seats, from \$25,000 a year ago to \$10,000, and to \$11,000 a few weeks ago, has in a measure disappeared. It is stated that \$12,000 is now bid for memberships in the New York Cotton Exchange and that none are offered. Whether or not this apparent revulsion in feeling is due to the activities of Theodore H. Price is a question that is being vigorously debated on the Exchange. It is obvious that his action in enjoining the classification committee of the Exchange against improper classification of cotton, which at first excited the bitterest resentment, is now finding a very much larger support than when the subject was primarily broached. A canvass among the members of the Exchange reveals the fact that a very large minority, if not an actual majority of them, are now in sympathy with Mr. Price's 'campaign.' The idea that his action was taken entirely from motives of self interest, has become to some extent dissipated; and Mr. Price himself says that after all, the automatic action of an enlightened self interest has effected many of the greatest reforms."

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The same bargains that were advertised in last week's papers and circulars will hold good for these three days' sale, during which days we will give double trading stamps on cash sales.

MONDAY, MAY 13TH—For one hour, 10 to 11 o'clock, we will again place on sale 500 White Linen Ladies' Suits, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50 each; for one hour, 9c each—limit 3 to one customer.

TUESDAY—MAY 14TH—For one hour, 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell 150 dozen Ladies Vests, Lisle-Topped and nice quality, worth 12 1-2 and 15c each; special sale, 8c each—limit 6 to one customer.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15TH—For one hour, 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell our Gents' White Pleated and Negligee Shirts, worth 50 and 75 cents each, for this hour at 45c each—limit 5 to one customer.

Read our other advertisement in this issue about the "Gossard" Corset demonstration May 13th to 25th. You are cordially invited.

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GREAT SPECTACLE AT JAMESTOWN

Three Hundredth Anniversary of
First English Settlement
Celebrated Yesterday.

PARADE OF ALL NATIONS

It Was Reviewed by General Kuroki,
Duke Abruzzi, and Other Disting-
guished Foreigners—Japanese
Officers Interested.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Norfolk, Va., May 13.—The celebra-
tion today on Jamestown Island, 40
miles up the James river, of the 300th
anniversary of the landing there of
the first permanent English settlers
under Sir Christopher Newport, John
Smith and others, was held under fair
skies and conditions in every way
auspicious. The exercises on the is-
land are directly under the auspices
of the Society for the Preservation of
Virginia Antiquities. Joseph Bryan,
of Richmond, Va., presided, and the
invocation was offered by Bishop Ran-
dolph of the Diocese of Southern Vir-
ginia. The opening address was de-
livered by Governor Swanson, of Vir-
ginia, and British Ambassador Bryce
followed with an address, the subject
of which was "Greetings from the Old
World to the New." Lieutenant Gov-
ernor Elyson, of Virginia, introduced
Governor Swanson and Mr. Bryan in-
troduced Ambassador Bryce. A choir
composed of students from the his-
toric William and Mary College at
Williamsburg was in attendance and
Bishop Gibson of the diocese of Vir-
ginia and other clergy participated.

Large excursions were run to
Jamestown Island early today both
from Norfolk and Richmond, these
carrying for the most part the large
company of distinguished people who
were to attend the ceremonies of the
day. Lady Grey, daughter of Earl
Grey, of Canada, is with Ambassador
Bryce.

The elaborate celebration at the
Jamestown Exposition today of the
300th anniversary of the landing of
the first English settlers, was ushered
in by the firing of a salute of 17 guns
from Fort Monroe incident to the
arrival at Old Point Comfort at 6:15
A. M., of General Baron Kuroki, his
staff and party accompanied by Gen-
eral O. E. Wood, as official escort.
General Kuroki and his party were
met at the Old Point Comfort pier by
General Grant and Major Strong, the
latter commanding Fort Monroe.

All honors were accorded the dis-
tinguished Japanese and after break-
fast General Kuroki and party pro-
ceeded by special boat to review the
great fleet of American and foreign
warships in Hampton Roads, after
which they landed at the Jamestown
Exposition grounds for the exercises
of the day which included an address
by President Harry St. George Tucker,
of the Jamestown Exposition Com-
pany, and a parade and review of the
Federal troops in camp at the expo-
sition, together with several thousand
sailors landed from the American and
foreign warships in Hampton Roads,
all being reviewed by General Kuroki,
the Japanese vice-admiral, Sir Gero
Ijima, the Italian Duke de Abruzzi,
Generals Grant and Wood, Admiral
Evans and other American and for-
eign army and navy dignitaries.

The parade was a beautiful spec-
tacle. The foreign bands played the
Star Spangled Banner as they passed
the reviewing stand on the Lee parade
grounds and the outbursts of applau-
se incident to this feature was deafen-
ing. Rear Admiral Charles M. Thom-
as, commanding the second division
of the first squadron of the Atlantic
fleet, was chief marshal of the parade.
Rear Admiral Evans was unable to
come ashore. In addition to the ma-
rines and sailors from the American
warships, detachments participated in
the parade from the Japanese cruisers
Takuba and Chitose, the Italian cruis-
ers Varese and Etruria, the Austrian
cruisers Sankt Georg and Aspern, the
Brazilian battleship Riachuelo, the
cruiser Barroso and gunboat Tamoyo;
and the Chilean cruiser Ministro Zen-
teno. All of the foreigners appeared
to excellent advantage. The Twenty-
third United States Infantry, com-
manded by Colonel Phillip Reade,
with twelve companies repeated its
splendid marching of the opening day
of the exposition and came in for its
share of applause.

The small army from the Atlantic
fleet was commanded by Captain
Seaton Schroeder of the battleship
Virginia, and consisted of forty-eight
companies of blue jackets and ma-
rines divided into eight battalions.

The appearance of the United States
sailors was the signal for loud out-
bursts of applause.

The third battery of United States
field artillery, commanded by Captain
T. N. Horn, made a splendid showing.
The second squadron of the Twelfth
United States Cavalry, commanded by
Major H. G. Sickie, evoked great en-
thusiasm passing the reviewing stand
in capital lines and spirited cadence.
General Kuroki and his staff officers,
next to the sailors from their own
kingdom, seemed to be most interest-
ed in the American cavalrymen.

The passing of the last command
was the signal for the withdrawal of
the guards and the admittance of the
spectators to the parade ground in
front of the grand stand where the
brief exercises planned for the day
were held. The invocation was by
Rev. George Booker, pastor of Ep-
worth M. E. Church, Norfolk. "The
Jamestown Anniversary Ode" by the
late James Barron Hope, was read
by Judge T. S. Garnett, of Norfolk.

President Tucker's brief speech con-
cluded the grand stand exercises.
The American and foreign naval vis-
itors were driven from the reviewing
stand to Discovery Landing where
they reboarded their launches and re-

THREE TRAGEDIES ON S. & W. ROAD

Nine Men Killed By Explosion
and Four Were Shot to
Death.

MEN MUTILATED BY BLAST

One Man Shot Another and Slayer
Was Killed By Former's Friend.
Deputy Sheriff Slain and
His Death Avenged.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Bristol, May 13.—Saturday afternoon
while a force of men were at work
blasting on the South and Western
Railway on the works of McCarty
Brothers, near Alta Pass, N. C., an
explosion occurred in which nine men
were almost instantly killed and four
others were fatally injured. The men
were all employees of the railway com-
pany, and were natives of the Alta
Pass section.

The force had drilled for a blast,
and after placing the explosives in the
blast hole, started to retreat, and the
dynamite was fired prematurely, and
the men were hurled in every direc-
tion. Those who were killed were ter-
ribly mutilated, while the surviving
workmen are badly bruised and
lacerated.

Details of the disaster were not
available here today, owing to de-
fective telegraph and telephone com-
munication.

Four Homicides.
Bristol, Va., May 13.—Felix J. Kidd,
of Big Stone Gap, Virginia, was shot
and killed at Alta Pass, N. C., yester-
day afternoon by Will Anderson, who
was in turn killed by Charles Hale,
a friend of Kidd.

Kidd passed through Bristol Satur-
day night, accompanied by his wife
and children, enroute to Alta Pass,
which he reached only a few hours
before the tragedy occurred. He was
foreman of one of the construction
camps of the South and Western Rail-
way, and was walking near one of the
camps in company with Hale, when
Anderson, said to have been a bitter
enemy, shot him three times, killing
him almost instantly. Before the
murderer could escape Hale shot him.

Kidd's wife and children passed
through Bristol again today, return-
ing to their home in Big Stone Gap.
This tragedy was followed a short
time afterward by another in the
same vicinity. Deputy Sheriff Buchan-
an attempted to arrest a man named
Paul, who had been guilty of a misde-
meanor. Paul shot and killed the of-
ficer. Another deputy sheriff whose
name could not be learned, fired upon
Paul, killing him almost instantly. Ex-
citement over the two double trage-
dies is intense.

At noon a salute of 300 guns was
fired in Hampton Roads commemora-
tive of the Nation's birth on May 13,
1907. The remainder of the day was
taken up in informal exercises of vari-
ous kinds, among the features being
international races between crews
from the American and foreign war-
ships in Hampton Roads.

The festivities of the day concluded
with a ball and dinner by the Duke
de Abruzzi on the Italian flagship
Vareze, attended by all foreign and
American dignitaries now in these wa-
ters. The function was one of the
most elaborate ever given aboard a
warship.

Water Carnival.
A fitting climax to a day of military
and naval splendor was the brilliant
illumination of all the warships in
Hampton Roads and the wonderfully
beautiful water carnival which wend-
ed its way between the lines of the
fleets and then along the waterfront
of the Exposition grounds.

Every war vessel in the Roads was
silhouetted against the backwash of
the night by dazzling outlines in elec-
tric lights, while between the fighting
masts or over the bridge of each ves-
sel her name was emblazoned in var-
icolored letters. Searchlights played
rays of different hues along the three
miles of war craft and scores of illu-
minated excursion boats piled up and
down the long columns, loaded with
thousands of spectators.

The water carnival was something
unique in every respect. The jack-
tars of the different vessels were its
prime movers, and to them is due the
credit for its success. For weeks each
ship has had a committee at work on
its particular design, and the result
tonight was magnificent. Until the
parade started no ship knew what
the other ships would have in line,
and some startling floats were shown.

There were barges depicting the
landing of the settlers, an Indian vil-
lage, Viking boat, caravals that
brought the settlers over, a giant mos-
quito, a huge sea serpent and the Ja-
panese of the cruiser Chitose entered
a dragon that was something terrible
to behold. Each float, and there were
fifty of them, was towed by a launch
equipped with storage batteries to
furnish illumination for the float.

This evening aboard his flagship,
the Varese, Rear Admiral de Abruzzi
gave a brilliant dance in honor of
the American and other foreign of-
ficers. It was attended by a large num-
ber of Washington, Richmond and
Norfolk people, as well as by the ar-
my and navy set from Fort Monroe,
the fleets and the navy yard.

Tomorrow afternoon Major General
Grant will entertain at dinner in hon-
or of General Kuroki at the Chamber-
lain, Old Point, and during the day
will escort the Japanese commander
on a tour of inspection through Fort
ress Monroe.

Press Dispatch. Four sons at once,
St. Paul, Oct. 5th, 1906. A special
from Mondovi says: "Mrs. Jno. S. S-
penson gave birth to four boys." She's
evidently a great friend of Hollister's
Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Tea
or Tablets. J. H. Bunting Drug Co.

Read The Star Business Locals.

DOLLAR WHEAT IN GRAIN PIT

Sensational Advance on Chicago
Board of Trade Yesterday
Amid Excitement.

PRICE JUMPED FOUR CENTS

Advance Has Been Nearly Fourteen
Cents During Past Week—Cold
Weather and Damage by In-
sects Caused Strong Bulge.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Chicago, May 13.—In the most sensa-
tional opening in the history of the
Chicago Board of Trade, wheat today
shot past the dollar mark. Heavy
realizing sales pushed the price back-
wards somewhat but at the close the
market was strong and according to
the majority of speculators on the
board the demand upon which the
late advance has been made is still
unsatisfactory. The net advance to-
day for wheat was four cents for the
July and the September options and
4 1-8 cents for the December option.
From the low point of Monday of last
week, July wheat had advanced 13 3-4
cents. September has gone up 15 3-4
cents. In the December option, the
high point today was 16 3-4 above the
low price of last Monday.

It was a certainty that a strong
bulge would take place in the wheat
market at the opening. As soon as
the gong sounded there was a terrific
roar of voices, all voices to buy and
no one offering to sell. The trade was
too big and too broad to be followed
with any certainty, and brokers filled
orders frequently several cents away
from the point at which they had
hoped to buy.

The July option opened between 93
and 94 cents, which was 1 1-4 to 2 3-8
cents higher than the close of Satur-
day. September opened at 95 to 99,
which was up 1 3-8 to 5 3-8 cents
above the closing price of last week.
December showed a wider range than
either of the other options, as the
opening for December ran at all fig-
ures between 96 1-2 and \$1.03.

The rush of buying orders seemed
to come from amongst every town
in the United States which was sit-
uated along a telegraph wire. The
professional traders were of the opin-
ion that the opening was a little too
vigorous and that the chance to seize
profits on lines of long wheat carried
over Sunday was tempting. As soon,
therefore, as trade steadied a trifle mil-
lions of bushels were thrown upon the
market in realizing sales. As a re-
sult, the advance for a time was
checked. The buying orders, how-
ever, still poured in, and the market
again soared.

There were no claims in any direc-
tion that the market was being man-
ipulated. The general opinion seemed
to be that the advance was based upon
natural conditions, which are offered to
curtail in large degree the world's
coming crop of wheat. Advice from
all parts of the West and Northwest
confirmed previous reports of damage
by weather and insects. In addi-
tion telegrams from the Canadian
Northwest declared that there was
still no possibility of seeding in that
district, and that every day of delay
meant the loss of thousands of acres
that might otherwise have been sown
to wheat. Such prominent traders as
William H. Barrett and James A. Pat-
ten declared that conditions at home
and abroad warranted the sensa-
tional advance in prices, declaring that
the wheat problem for this year will be
a difficult one for European buyers to
solve.

BASE BALL.

American League.
St. Louis, 5; Washington, 4.
Detroit, 4; Boston, 1.
Cleveland, 1; New York, 7.
Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 9.
National League.
Boston, 11; Pittsburgh, 14.
New York, 1; Cincinnati, 0.
Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 5.
Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 3.
Southern League.
Little Rock, 5; Atlanta, 2.
Shreveport, 5; Birmingham, 3.
New Orleans, 5; Montgomery, 4. (11
innings.)
Memphis, 1; Nashville, 2.

South Atlantic League.
Macon, 2; Charleston, 1.
Jacksonville, 2; Columbia, 1.
Savannah, 2; Augusta, 0.
Virginia League.
Lynchburg, 4; Norfolk, 5. (10 in-
nings.)
Portsmouth, 3; Danville, 2.
Roanoke, 3; Richmond, 3. (13 in-
nings.)

SOUTH & WESTERN'S SCHEME.

John H. Winder to Be Connected
With Big Enterprise.
(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Columbus, O., May 13.—John H.
Winder, president of the Sunday
Creek Coal Company, resigned today
to become associated as an owner
and in an executive capacity with the
Cumberland syndicate of New York,
headed by Thomas F. Ryan. The syn-
dicate is building the Southern &
Western Railroad, as an outlet for
300,000 acres of undeveloped coal land
in southwest Virginia. Extensive
plans involving the expenditure of mil-
lions of dollars have been outlined.

The Wilmington Furniture Co., 129
Market street, is selling everything,
including a car of porch rockers just
received; a shipment of 122 baby car-
riages and go-carts just received; 75
iron beds, at cost for cash. May 14-15

A girl who has fallen heir to one
of these Rocky Mountain Tea com-
plexions is to be envied. Girls whose
mothers and grandmothers took Hol-
lister's Rocky Mountain Tea conveyed
a blessing on their children. J. H.
Bunting Drug Co.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS.

THE STAR WILL SEND
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(WESTERN UNION) MESSEN-
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RATES—25 CENTS FOR
EACH INSERTION OF TWEN-
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ADDITIONAL WORDS, MORE
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CENT PER WORD IN AD-
VANCE.

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WILL ALSO CALL FOR TELE-
GRAMS FOR THE WESTERN
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FOR NOTES OR SMALL
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ED ANYWHERE IN THE CITY.
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ERN UNION, 'PHONE 2. BUT
FOR ADVERTISEMENTS AL-
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AN ELEGANT lot for sale, centrally
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Wright & Son. May 14-15

THERE WILL BE AN important
meeting of the High School alumni
this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the High
School. May 14-15

FOR SALE—House on Red Cross
street, between Second and Fourth
streets. C. P. B. Mahler, Real Estate
and Renting Agent, 205 Princess
street. May 14-15

SPECIAL RATES for board at the
Gilbert House, regular and table
board for Summer. Delightful rooms,
no mosquitoes. A. M. Gilbert.
May 14-15

SPECIAL RATES June 1st to June
15th. Tarrymore Hotel, Wrightsville
Beach, N. C. May 12-15

ANNOUNCEMENT—I wish to give
notice to the general public that I
have opened a laboratory in Room
No. 2, second floor, Worth's building,
Grace and Nutt streets, for the exam-
ination of analysis of anything, such
as dairy and canned goods products,
beverages, strong liquors, etc., etc.
Particular attention given to all kinds
of water and urine analyses. Consul-
tation free; prices reasonable. A. N.
Dubois. May 12 2d pd

FOR RENT—Store in The Garrell
Building, southwest corner of Prin-
cess and Second streets. Apply to
me in the building or phone 317. Jos.
D. Smith, agent. May 12-15

NICE COTTAGE HOME, No. 513
South Sixth street, lot 33 feet front
by 110 feet deep; on car line, ma-
cadamized street, good location. For
sale, cash or on time; the opportunity
for moderate price home, in a location
rapidly increasing in value. J. G.
Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents,
12-25

FOR SALE—All the stock, notes,
bonds, bills, accounts and franchise of
the Neutrangine Chemical Company;
for particulars see Woodus Kellum,
Receiver, I. O. O. F. Building, Wil-
mington, N. C. May 9-15

A BOY who is not afraid to handle
a broom or a bucket of water may se-
cure employment by making imme-
diate application at the Star office.
Color of boy not important provided
he is not green. May 5-15

THE OLD ESTABLISHED and re-
liable Wilmington Pressing Club is
still serving its customers with its
usual promptness and at moderate
prices. Clothes called for and deliv-
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34 YEARS EXPERIENCE—Artistic
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Cleaning. Dresses, Gloves, Sunshades,
Gentlemen's Suits, Panama Hats, Em-
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Prairie Hay

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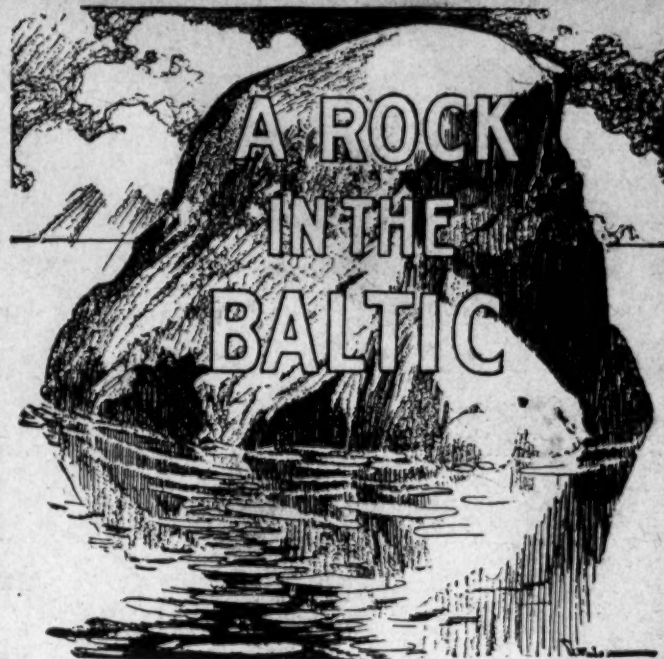
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50 Cents Bale.

W. B. Cooper,

Wilmington, N. C.

may 1-15



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This mystery shrouded rock, rising rugged
and forbidding out of the fogs of the Baltic,
furnishes the title of the story which revolves
around it. A constant menace to navigation,
it nearly wrecked four innocent lives. The
persons concerned are

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How American millions and feminine devo-
tion, aided by a chemical discovery of great
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ment will be told by that past master of fic-
tion, Robert Barr,

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Look for it. Be sure to read it. As you may
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either of which would make a charming story
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Over all broods the black mystery of the rock

TO THE BEACH

PASSENGER SCHEDULE BE-
TWEEN BEACH AND WIL-
MINGTON.

Effective May 15, 1907.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
*6:40 A. M.	*7:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	x9:45 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
8:00 P. M.	8:45 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	10:15 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	xx11:45 P. M.

Passenger Schedule Between Wrights-
ville and Wilmington—Effective
May 15, 1907.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville.
*6:40 A. M.	*6:25 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	*7:55 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	*8:55 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	x9:55 A. M.
1:00 P. M.	10:55 A. M.
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
8:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	8:55 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	10:25 P. M.
	xx11:55 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.
xxSunday only.
xxSaturday only.

Freight.
Leave Wilmington 10:00 A. M. and
4 P. M. Freight Depot open from 8 to
10 A. M. and from 1 to 4 P. M.
May 14-15

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Visiting brothers are cordially in-
vited.
By order of the W. M.,
A. S. HOLDEN,
Secretary.

may 14-15

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Wilmington, N. C.

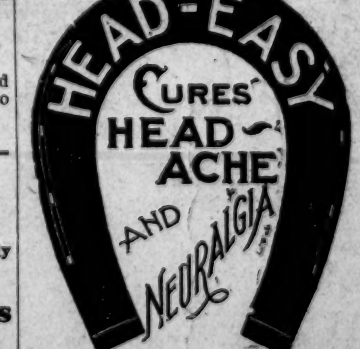
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